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HALF NATIONALIZED RADIO PREDICTED FOR CANADA

Amy Johnson Dares Great Dangers On Siberia Flight

British Girl Flier In Germany On Way By Plane To Peiping

Amy Johnson of England-Australia Fame Lands at Cologne and Plans to Fly to Berlin To-morrow; Russians Say Bitter Winter May Stop Her Flying Across Siberia to Peiping, China; Started From England.

Canadian Press

Cologne, Germany, Jan. 2.—Miss Amy Johnson, British girl flier on a lone plane journey from England to Peiping, China, landed here at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon. She plans to fly to Berlin to-morrow.

ACROSS BELGIUM

Liege, Belgium, Jan. 2.—Amy Johnson, British aviatrix, who landed here yesterday on a projected airplane flight from England to Peiping, took off for Berlin this morning on the second stage of her journey.

RUSSIAN CRITICISM

Moscow, Jan. 2.—Amy Johnson's solo flight across Russia to Peiping is arousing little interest but considerable disapproval here. The Soviet Government has extended permission for passage over the country, but aviation officials say she has picked the wrong time of year for so difficult a flight.

Intense cold and deep snow in Siberia will make the journey hazardous, they point out, but apparently there will be no official move to halt the flight if the British girl still wants to continue after experiencing the bitter winter.

FLIGHT COMES AS SURPRISE

London, Jan. 2.—General astonishment has been aroused in Great Britain by the attempt of Miss Amy Johnson, twenty-three-year-old flier, to make a long lone airplane journey across snow-covered Northern Eurasia to Pieping, China.

Leaving the Hendon Airdrome yesterday forenoon, Miss Johnson stopped at Lympne, Kent, momentarily and proceeded to Liege, Belgium, for the flight. Leaving Liege this morning for Berlin, she planned to fly to Moscow, from which, equipping her plane with skis, she hoped to fly on across barren Siberia and Mongolia to Peiping. She expected to be at Moscow on the third day of the flight.

In addition to general fear for her safety in view of the extreme hazards of such a journey, her friends were represented to-day as feeling considerable anxiety on account of her health, which was said to be in no state for a test of the sort.

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SCOTS REGIMENT GIVEN $5,000 BY LT.-GOV. BRUCE

Honorary Colonel of Canadian Scottish Makes New Year Gift

Regiment Will Shortly Be Equipped With Tartan Used By Royal Family

A gift of $5,000 has been made to the treasury of the Sixteenth Canadian Scottish Regiment by Lieutenant-Governor Bruce, honorary colonel of the regiment. Announcement of the donation was made yesterday afternoon at the Armories by Col. D. B. Martin, D.S.O., M.C., in the course of the customary New Year's reception, and was received with great enthusiasm.

The gift was particularly welcomed at this time as the regiment is about to change from the Mackenzie to the Stewart tartan used by the Royal Scots, with which the Sixteenth Regiment is affiliated.

As the Stewart tartan is that of the Royal Family, His Majesty's special permission for its use by the Canadian Scots had to be secured. The authority was recently received by Col. Martyn. Princess Mary is Colonel-in-Chief of the Sixteenth Canadian Scottish Regiment.

The gift of His Honor will be placed to the general funds of the regiment in the following proportions: headquarters funds, $1,000, and First and Second Battalions, each $2,000. All ranks of the regiment, from colonel to buglers, sign their pay over to the regimental funds. The officers' and sergeants' messes are entirely self-supporting.

The general expenses met by the regiment annually include $1,500 for rifle shooting, $800 or more for sports, $1,000 for the brass and pipe bands, and large sums for training expenses. The entire earnings of the bands are divided among the musicians.

SEARCH SHIP IS DELAYED AT SEATTLE

Wrangell, Eckmann's Plane, Will Be Here To-morrow En Route to Northern B.C.

Special Radio Set Will Keep B.C. Police in Close Touch With Flight

Delay caused by minor adjustments to his plane, the Wrangell, prevented Pilot Ancel Eckmann from taking off at Seattle this morning for Victoria en route north in a final search for Pilot Robin "Pat" Renahan and his two companions, lost while searching the northern country for traces of Capt. Paddy Burke's plane.

Pilot Eckmann, who was due here today, long-distanced Charles C. Johnson, local manager of the Alaska-Washington Airways of B.C., that he expected to leave Seattle to-morrow morning for Victoria in his powerful Locheed-Vega.

The big plane is being brought here for the installation of special radio equipment in order that the B.C. Provincial Police may keep in touch with Eckmann's flight over the isolated territory between Prince Rupert and Atlin.

The search is being financed by the B.C. Government in a last effort to clear up the Renahan mystery.

There will be no delay here. As soon as the proper radio equipment has been fitted the Wrangell will fly to Vancouver, where the pilot will secure vital supplies. He will then take off for Prince Rupert.

The ship will keep in daily touch with the police as Eckmann proceeds on his adventurous search, which, at this time of the year, will be handicapped by innumerable hazards.

Mrs. Renahan, who is responsible for the newest air expedition into the north country, lives in the hope that some trace of her husband can be found. She has left by steamer for Prince Rupert, which city she will make her base of inquiry during the course of the search.

Ruhr Valley Coal Miners on Strike

Essen, Germany, Jan. 2.—Workers in twenty Ruhr Valley coal mines laid down their tools to-day in a strike not authorized by the trade unions but allegedly incited by jobless workers and Communists.

Dissatisfaction among the coal miners is great, due to notice of discharge received by about 300,000, effective January 15. After that date they will be re-employed only at reduced wages.

City's Greatest Booster Is Heaviest Man In Town

The story of Angus Chilton, who prides himself on being the fattest man in Victoria and has found his size to be one of the greatest of assets in the sightseeing business, will be a feature of the Magazine Section of The Victoria Times to-morrow.

There are few people in Victoria who do not know "Winnipeg" in his role of sightseeing promoter, in which he has become outstanding as the most active booster of Victoria.

Other features of the Saturday Magazine Section to-morrow will include:

Fancy names of movie stars are unmasked and the real names of the screen's favorites are listed.

Hollywood's dogville, where those clever canine pictures are made, is the most diverting part of the movie colony.

Racehorse doping on English courses assailed as horrible practice.

King George's baby granddaughter, Elizabeth, becomes a real princess.

"Red Heather," a short story.

How to do the new slow-time dance steps for 1931.

Robert Connell, the naturalist, writes on the shrinking Land's End out Gordon Head way, and also on a great scientist.

A page on the new fashions.

Weekly illustrated page for the children.

Books of the day and comment.

And the four-page colored comic section.

NEW PREMIER SUCCEEDS RYKOFF IN SOVIET RUSSIA

Russia has a new Premier in the person of V. Molotoff (below), a lieutenant of Joseph Stalin, who stands behind the scenes as the real dictator of Soviet land. Alexei I. Rykoff (above) was stripped of high power last week when he was relieved of the post of president of the Union Council of People's Commissars, equivalent to the post of Premier in other countries.

TWO MISSING FLIERS OF FAR NORTH FOUND

Pilot Glyn-Roberts and Mechanic Safe in Mackenzie River Delta District

Landed With Plane Short of Gasoline; Search Made By Dog Drivers

Edmonton, Jan. 2.—Alive and uninjured, Pilot T. Glyn-Roberts of the Commercial Airways, for whom an intensive search with dog teams through the Mackenzie River Delta has been carried on for several days, was found yesterday, according to a brief wireless message received here to-day.

The message stated Glyn-Roberts and his mechanic, C. Vanderlinden, were "O.K." and that they had been forced down by lack of gasoline. The message did not state how far from Aklavik the missing airmen had been found, but it indicated they had made a successful landing.

NEW RULERS IN PANAMA AFTER REVOLT

Arosemena Government Is Ousted and Harmodio Arias Will Form Cabinet

Vice-president and Second Vice-president Flee to Canal Zone, Say Rports

Panama City, Jan. 2.—President Arosemena, of Panama, overthrown in a sudden revolt this morning, this afternoon named Harmodio Arias Premier of Panama, then resigned as President, leaving Arias at liberty to form a new cabinet.

The rebellion was sponsored by the "Accion Communal," a patriotic organization which had violently criticised what it called the "corruption" of the government under President Chiari and later President Arosemena.

CAPITALIST IS LEADER

Associated with Arias were Francisco A. Paredes, a capitalist, and J. J. Vallarino, physician and X-ray specialist.

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FLIES MAIL PLANES OVER VOLCANOES

What is described as the toughest airmail line in the world is flown regularly by Tom Ward, above, who went to Central America three years ago to fly the mail daily from Guatemala to Honduras. His route is over a region of volcanoes, where there is no possibility whatever of making an emergency landing. Ward was photographed as he arrived in Los Angeles a few days ago to take a much-needed rest.

Mr. Justice Duff To Be Canada Administrator

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Jan. 2. — Mr. Justice Lyman P. Duff of the Supreme Court of Canada is likely to be appointed administrator following the departure of Viscount Willingdon from here January 14 to become Viceroy of India.

An early announcement of a successor to Viscount Willingdon as Governor-General of Canada is fully expected, but it is improbable the new incumbent of Rideau Hall will reach Ottawa before Viscount Willingdon sails from St. John, N.B., for England, January 16. In that event an administrator would be appointed pending the arrival of the new Governor-General.

Chief Justice F. A. Anglin would be chosen as administrator but for his plan to take a rest from his duties.

GRANTED LEAVE

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—Chief Justice F. A. Anglin of the Supreme Court of Canada has been granted three months' leave of absence from his judicial duties. The leave of the Chief Justice will date from January 18.

Mr. Justice R. Smith of the same bench has been granted four months' leave of absence on account of illness as from January 1.

Official announcement to this effect was made early this afternoon by Sir George Perley, Acting Prime Minister.

VANCOUVER MILK SUPPLY FIRMS MERGE

More Than Eighty Per Cent of City's Needs Now Supplied By Associated Dairies

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—More than eighty per cent of Vancouver's milk supply this morning was delivered by one company, the newly-formed Associated Dairies, into which have been merged eight of the city's largest retail distributors.

The amalgamation began to function January 1 with W. J. Park as president.

Trouble bobbed up almost as soon as the company took charge. At the Valley Dairy, the former P. Burns and Co. subsidiary, the drivers went on strike for two hours this morning against a proposed wage cut.

After communicating with the office of the Milk Salesmen and the Dairy Employees' Union, the men went back to work for the day, pending an interview between union officials and company executives this afternoon.

In so far as the union was aware, only drivers for the Valley Dairy were affected by the cut. The various dairies had different wage scales which worked out to practically the same net result to the men, but in the case of the Fraser Valley Milk Producers' Association the men have a definite agreement.

FIGURES GIVEN

At the Valley Dairy the men were paid $100 a month, plus 3 per cent of their load, which worked out at $130 on a load valued at $1,000. On January 1 the men were notified when they came in from their runs that the rate henceforth would be $90 plus 3 per cent.

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PARLIAMENT EXPECTED TO MEET FEB. 19

Opinion In Ottawa Now Is Members Will Start Session on That Thursday

Rumor Lord Irwin to Be Governor-General Is Not Given Credence

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—Parliament will not open until late in February, possibly about February 19. In well-informed political circles this is the prevailing view.

Immediately following the general election on July 28 last and the subsequent formation of a new cabinet, a session was held in September. Disposition was made of what were listed as emergency affairs, such as unemployment relief.

A large number of matters will be given attention at the coming session and active preparations in this connection are already well under way. Further revision of the tariff schedules is expected to be included.

NEW GOVERNOR-GENERAL

Rumor that Lord Irwin, now Viceroy of India, may come to Canada as Governor-General is given little credence here. The appointment of a successor to Viscount Willingdon will be made on the recommendation of the Federal Government. When that recommendation is made, it will be forwarded for approval of the King and will naturally be regarded with the greatest secrecy till the announcement is made.

Some doubt seems to exist as to whether announcement of the naming of a new Governor-General will be officially made in Ottawa or London. In view of the departure of Viscount Willingdon from the capital on January 14 the feeling is that an early announcement of a successor will be made.

EINSTEIN AT MOUNT WILSON TELESCOPE NOW

Pasadena, Cal., Jan. 2.—Dr. Albert Einstein to-day joined men studying the behavior of a universe to the structure of which they say his relativity theory appears to offer a clue.

These men, earnest workers of the Carnegie Institution of Washington, have the world's largest telescope, a 100-inch reflecting instrument, at Mount Wilson.

This observatory, an attraction of the master mathematician and physicist of Berlin, is investigating the universe, studying its structure and its behavior. Since no one institution can hope to cover the whole of the subject, Mount Wilson, having the largest telescope, devotes most of its time to the remote regions.

Radio Broadcasting Plans To Be Voted On Soon By Parliament Are Drafted

Ottawa Reports Say Government System of Modified Form Probably Will Be Outcome of Debate, But Administration Not Ready to Embark on Costly Station Building Scheme Advocated by Aird Commission.

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—Whether or not Canada is to have a chain of nationally owned radio broadcasting stations will be known within the next few weeks.

The policy of the Government is now being formulated and an announcement is daily expected from Hon. Alfred Duranleau, Minister of Marine, whose department has control of radio affairs. The proposals of the Government must be laid before Parliament, the approval of which is required.

The question of economy is generally regarded as weighing against acceptance of the report of the Royal Commission on radio, headed by Sir John Aird of Toronto, which recommended installation of seven 50,000-watt government stations across the country.

Those who are watching the situation closely offer the prediction proposals for a government system will be adopted in a modified form.

10,000 AUTO OWNERS STILL NEED PLATES

Two Weeks' Grace Given By Police to Drivers in Getting New Licenses

Expected B.C. Will Pass 100,000 Mark in Auto Registration This Year

Approximately 10,000 automobile owners on the southern end of Vancouver Island are still driving with 1930 license plates on their cars, according to motor license branch figures.

Out of about 13,000 autos registered in Greater Victoria and districts only twenty per cent. bear the new black and white licenses, it was said to-day. The remainder have just two weeks in which to obtain their plates before police start checking up on delinquents.

For the convenience of out-of-town owners who are unable to get into the city during the week, the license branch office will be open until 5 o'clock to-morrow and on the following two Saturdays, it was announced. January 15 is the last day on which 1930 licenses will be legal and after that a check-up will be made.

British Columbia will pass the 100,000 mark in automobiles this year, it is expected. Approximately 98,000 cars were registered with the police last year, although it had been anticipated the total would run into six figures. Business conditions are held responsible for the failure to reach this mark.

SEVERE QUAKE RECORDED IN MANY PLACES

Victoria Observatory Reports Centres 2,300 Miles Away Off Mexican Coast

A severe earthquake, which lasted for over three hours, began recording on the seismograph at the Gonzales Observatory this morning at 1.55 o'clock. F. Napier Denison, superintendent of the observatory, placed the centre of the disturbance about 2,300 miles away and believes it was off the southwest coast of Mexico.

Washington, Jan. 2.—The Georgetown University seismograph to-day showed a record of severe earth disturbances having occurred between 4.54 a.m. E.S.T., and 8 o'clock. Rev. Father Sohon, in charge of the observatory, said the quake had centred some 2,300 miles from Washington in an undetermined direction.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 2.—An earth disturbance of unusual duration was recorded by the seismograph at Regis College here to-day, probably 2,000 miles from Denver. The disturbance lasted from 2.53 a.m. until 4.40 a.m. and the maximum wave was at 3 a.m.

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—An earthquake of four hours' duration was registered on the seismograph at the Dominion Experimental Farm Observatory here this morning. The quake, whose epicentre was estimated to be 2,530 miles distant from the capital, was described by the seismologist as severe. Owing to the light character of the preliminary tremors, it was impossible to determine the direction from here of the quake's origin.

First preliminary tremors were registered at fifty-six minutes and fifteen

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JOFFRE LIES IN PARIS IN STATE OF COMA

Aged Marshal Kept Alive For Hours By Injections of Stimulant

Physician Expresses Belief He Cannot Live Longer Than To-morrow

Canadian Press

Paris, Jan. 2.—Marshal Joffre, deep in a coma from which his physicians do not expect him to awake, remained alive to-day, one of them indicated, through administration of large injections of stimulant.

Dr. Boulin, meeting newspapermen outside the St. Jean de Dieu Hospital after an official bulletin which said there was no change in the condition of the aged hero of the Marne, stated he did not now expect the end until this evening, or perhaps to-morrow.

RAPID PULSE

"The final coma which will take the marshal," he said, "can be foreseen from a half hour to three-quarters of an hour in advance by acceleration of the pulse, which has been 140 since yesterday.

"The patient remains unconscious. Heavy doses of a serum are being injected which should permit the marshal to pass through to-day and perhaps this evening."

California Men Tar and Feather Woman Rancher

Riverside, Cal., Jan. 2.—A woman homesteader in the San Jacinto Mountain foothills, Mrs. Anna Wood, was in a serious condition to-day from being tarred and feathered early New Year's Day by two masked men. Deputy Sheriff Carl Rayburn, who went to her ranch forty miles east of here, reported the tarring apparently had followed Mrs. Wood's defiance of cattlemen's orders to move out.

Mrs. Wood was found in a hysterical and semi-conscious condition at her isolated ranch late yesterday by friends. They reported to the sheriff here, who said arrests were imminent.

BODY FOUND IN LAUNCH

Prince Rupert, B.C., Jan. 2.—Police are investigating the finding of the body of John Campbell aboard his launch at Port Simpson. Campbell was a native of this district.

PLANE SQUADRON TO TRY ATLANTIC FLIGHT NEXT WEEK

Rome, Jan. 2.—The squadron of twelve Italian seaplanes which is preparing at Bolama, Portuguese Guinea, for a transatlantic flight to Rio de Janeiro, is expected to take off Monday morning for Port Natal, Brazil, the Air Ministry announced to-day.

NEW MOVE TO END WELSH COAL STRIKE

Hopes Expressed at Least Temporary Agreement Will Be Arranged By Board

But Basis on Which It Can Be Worked Out Is Not Plain to Observers

Canadian Press

London, Jan. 2.—Optimistic expectations prevailed here to-day that differences between the coal miners and mine operators in South Wales would be ironed out to-morrow at a meeting of the conciliation board.

At least temporary arrangement which would permit something less than 150,000 men in the field who walked out in protest against reduction of their working hours and lessening of their wages to return to work was looked for.

NO CONCILIATORY STATEMENTS

At the same time neither the miners nor the mine operators have shown the slightest sign of weakening in their demands and the grounds on which such a possible agreement may be made are regarded as purely speculative.

Not all the miners are out. The labor organizations state no more than 1,200 out of 150,000 are at work, while the operators declare that many more, possibly as high as 9,000 or 10,000 men in fifty collieries, are keeping at their jobs.

Quiet continues everywhere.

TWO BELIEVED DROWNED IN KINGCOME BAY

R. McLeod and Indian Wife Missing Off B.C. Mainland Near Vancouver Island

Canadian Press

Alert Bay, B.C., Jan. 2.—Robert McLeod and his Indian wife are believed to have been drowned in Kingcome Inlet. On the morning of December 24 they left Bell Isle Sound aboard a gasoline boat to go to Kingcome River to spend Christmas.

That afternoon Mr. Proctor, watchman at the Charles Creek cannery, noticed a launch, about three miles away on the opposite side of the inlet, which seemed to be having engine trouble. He saw two persons leave the launch in a rowboat and head back down the inlet. The sea was choppy, but he did not pay particular attention to the boat.

On Friday afternoon, December 26, men from Bell Isle Sound noticed McLeod's launch was anchored in the place it was first sighted by the cannery watchman. On examining the engine they found the timing gear was broken. They towed the launch into Bell Isle Sound, where the McLeods lived in a house on a float. No sign of McLeod or his wife has been seen since.

FIRST EVENTS OF 1931

FIRST BABY

A girl to Mr. and Mrs. C. Borden, Lake Hill, born at the Jubilee Hospital at 10.45 o'clock yesterday morning.

FIRST MARRIAGE

Miss Ruth Tripp and Clifford Hodgson were married at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, yesterday evening.

FIRST BUILDING PERMIT

A permit for a frame and stucco dwelling for J. J. Browning at 1844 Chestnut Street was taken out this morning at the City Hall estimated cost of $3,500.

FIRST ACCIDENT

The Saanich fire truck crashed into a tree en route to a fire yesterday morning at Marigold corner.

ARRESTS AND FIRES

So far the city fire and police department sreport a clean slate. Up to noon to-day the Victoria fire department had not been called upon this year, while Magistrate George Jay was not required to make an appearance in the police court this morning.

FIRST DEEP SEA ARRIVAL

The motor liner Aorangi from Sydney, Auckland, Suva and Honolulu, was the first deep sea ship to arrive. She docked at Victoria at noon yesterday and proceeded to Vancouver at 1.45 o'clock.

FIRST COASTWISE ARRIVAL

The steamer Princess Joan, from Vancouver, and the steamer Prince Rupert, from Seattle, both arrived here at 7 a.m. yesterday, and were the first coasting steamers to berth.

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PLANE FLIGHT SAVES MAN'S LIFE

Ketchikan, Alaska, Jan. 2.—Another rescue was added to the long list credited to Alaska aviators to-day when Chris Sewell, from Craig, was recovering in a hospital here after an emergency operation.

Jim Dodson of the Pioneer Airways piloted a cabin plane through low hanging clouds and rain to Hydaburg on the west coast of Prince of Wales Island, yesterday and returned with Sewell in a few hours. A boat, bringing Sewell here from Craig, had been stormbound there and radioed for a plane early in the afternoon.

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Mr. F. L. Shaw, barrister, has moved his law office from Bank of Toronto Building to 418-420 Central Building. ***

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Numerology lecture by Dr. Barton in the Progressive Thought Temple, 935 Pandora Avenue, to-night (Friday) 8 o'clock. Personal questions answered. Admission free. ***

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Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, January 6, 2.45 p.m. Countess de Turczynowicz, "The Operatic Situation in Canada." Soloist, Mrs. Harold Campbell. ***

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TEN MEN IN TERMINAL CITY FACE CHARGES

Police Take Them Before Magistrate on Accusations of Holiday Robberies

Woman's Brave Fight in Coal Company Office Followed By Arrests

Canadian Press

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—Bandits were busy in Vancouver over the holiday, but police and citizens were equally active and ten men were taken into custody on charges of robbery with violence.

Three men held up William Stathdee, a fireman of the Canadian Seigneur, in the 100 block of East Cordova Street late Wednesday evening and robbed him of $7. Stathdee pursued the trio and Constable R. W. Leatherdale, G. F. Grosskleg and F. D. Woods joined in the hunt and arrested Walter Stellick and Elwood Bard, no fixed abodes, and charged them with the robbery.

Gallant resistance by Mrs. A. Major, cashier of the Powell Wood and Coal Co., Powell Street, at 4 p.m. Wednesday, saved the funds in the company's office and resulted in the arrest of Robert Marcott, Leonard Mirzey and Stewart Dixon, no fixed abodes, on charges of attempted robbery.

Mrs. Major was seated behind the counter in the company's office when three men entered. One carried a revolver, and presenting it, ordered the cashier and three Japanese who were in the place, to hold up their hands.

The Japanese complied with the order, but Mrs. Major opened the cash drawer and seizing the money it contained, threw it into an open handbag which she was holding on her knees.

Muttering an oath, the gunman leaped at her, but she fought him furiously, kicking him in the shins and striking at him with one hand. She received a stunning blow over the head from his revolver.

The Japanese then sprang into action and fought with all three bandits. H. White, an employee of the company, who was in the yard, heard the melee and also joined in the battle. He succeeded in holding one of the men, but the others managed to escape.

Detectives A. Stewart, D. A. Sinclair and A. Nickerson and Constable W. C. Macdonald answered the police call and took the man, who gave his name as Marcott, into custody. Later Mirzey and Dixon were picked up by officers at a Twelfth Avenue address. The trio were charged with attempting robbery by violence.

SEVERE QUAKE RECORDED IN MANY PLACES

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seconds past 4 o'clock this morning, eastern standard time, some five seconds after the time of their origin.

Toronto, Jan. 2.—A fairly strong earthquake was recorded at the Ontario Observatory here this morning. The tremors lasted for about three hours, apparently centering approximately 3,000 miles away, possibly in Alaska. The disturbance was first registered at 4.50.29 a.m., eastern standard time.

New York, N.Y., Jan. 2.—A severe earth shock was registered on the seismograph at Fordham University at 4.56.28 a.m. Eastern Standard Time today, with a second shock at 5.02.12 a.m. Observers estimated it was 2,500 miles from New York and probably on the coast of Central America.

AMY JOHNSON DARES DANGERS ON SIBERIA FLIGHT

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The Soviet Embassy in London told The Daily Herald such a flight as she was attempting would be very difficult and that she must be prepared for intense cold, with the ground perhaps several feet deep in snow, adding that she would be all right if she reached an airdrome at every landing, but that she did not know what hazards she might have to face.

Phases of the flight were the basis of conflicting reports in some of the London newspapers. Wednesday she was charged in a London police court with having left an automobile unattended on a street, but she obtained dismissal of the charge by revealing a mysterious employment in government service.

While The London Daily Mail said Amy's parents had been kept in ignorance of her intentions to make the flight, The Daily Express quoted the mother as saying: "We approve the flight. Adventure will be a relief and soothing influence for her. She has shown restlessness at home for months."

Much of the route chosen is uncharted.

Miss Johnson won world-wide fame a few months ago by making a solo flight from England to Australia. She is the only woman who has ever performed that feat.

NEW AVIATION DIRECTOR

London, Jan. 2.—Lieut.-Col. F. C. Shelmerdine, director of civil aviation in India, has been appointed director of civil aviation in the Air Ministry of Great Britain, succeeding the late Sir Sefton Branckner, who perished in the wreck of the dirigible R-101.

1931 WILL SEE MUCH MAPPING DONE BY CANADIAN FLIERS

Ottawa, Jan. 2—As 1931 opens Canada is being charted at high speed, and in this work cameras are supplementing field engineers and airplanes are proving faster than canoes. Annually between 30,000 and 40,000 aerial photographs of Canada have been turned in to the topographical section of the Department of the Interior. What required years of arduous labor formerly is now being done in as many days. The Royal Canadian Air Force, co-operates with the section and the results are highly beneficial to Canada.

To the navigator of the airplane and the photographer definite areas are marked out, and known trigonometrical points are given from which to start their flights. Such areas usually cover over 6,000 square miles each.

Thirteen flights are usually made from east to west, each flight starting from a point six miles distance from the previous one. An oblique photography, the plane travels 5,000 feet above the ground. At intervals of something under two minutes, the cameraman takes three pictures—one forward, and one on either side. This continues until the whole 6,000 odd miles are taken.

The photographic information is transferred to maps. Lakes and rivers on old maps have been found non-existent. The Ontario-Manitoba boundary was discovered to run twenty miles off its course between two points. Islands appear in sheets of water, the presence of which was not before known. And as this transfer continues Canada's map fills up. A great deal has already been achieved but a great deal still remains to be done.

TERMINAL CITY DEATH AFTER MAN'S ARREST

F. Tychsen Dies; Men at Mission Tell of Fight; F. Roach Charged By Police

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—F. Tychsen, thirty, died, and Frank Roach, twenty-five, is held by the police on a charge of manslaughter following a fist fight which occurred this morning in a dormitory of the Central Mission on Abbott Street here.

The fight lasted just four minutes, witnesses say, and at its conclusion Tychsen collapsed and died before medical aid could be summoned.

Police say an altercation arose between the men when some person awakened Roach, who slept in a bunk above that occupied by Tychsen. Tychsen voiced objection to his being awakened by the man who had called Roach, and hot words followed.

The men, it is alleged by the police, commenced to fight and Tychsen was worsted by Roach, who is a boxer. Tychsen then sat down on his bunk with his head in his hands and witnesses of the battle went to bathe his face, when he slumped down on the bunk and rolled to the floor dead.

Roach awaited the arrival of Detectives W. McDonald and N. Corbett who answered the police call, and quietly submitted to arrest. He was taken to police headquarters and booked on a charge of manslaughter.

The body of Tychsen was removed to the city morgue. Little is known of his antecedents. He registered at the Mission a week ago.

Roach has been in the city several weeks, and police say he was formerly a soldier, and was well known at one time for his ability as a boxer.

WELSH COAL MINERS EXPECT TO RESUME WORK

London, Jan. 2.—Confident of returning to work next Monday, the striking South Wales coal miners are facing the loss of wages cheerfully. The strikers have not interfered with the few volunteers who are still in the mines. These number between 1,000 and 2,000 of the 150,000 men called out.

The strikers are very hopeful the Conciliation Board to-morrow will bring about a satisfactory arrangement between the mine owners and the men's committee. Independent observers say it is impossible the stoppage will last long as the trade union funds are in such a condition the shopkeepers will not give the long line of credit which in former strikes has been the standby of the miners' fight.

JAMES PHILLIPS OF OTTAWA DIES

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—A prominent figure in life insurance circles died yesterday in the person of William James Phillips, for twenty years manager of the Ottawa office of the Dominion Life Assurance Company. He was a past president of the Life Underwriters' Association and was seventy-two years of age.

SPAIN'S STRIKE RECORD GROWS

Madrid, Jan. 2.—Labor records show 527 strikes occurred in Spain during 1930. In the previous year there were only 100. Political unrest was involved in more than 200 of the strikes, many of which were accompanied by violent disorders.

EXPLOSION IN TOWN WRECKS WHOLE BLOCK

Some of Citizens of Monessen, Pa., Thrown From Their Beds By Blast

Monessen, Pa., Jan. 2.—Fire which followed a terrific explosion in the business district of this town early to-day caused damage estimated at $125,000. An entire block was destroyed.

The explosion, believed to have been caused by gas, hurled a score or more persons from their beds and shattered windows many blocks away.

HOLIDAY DEATHS

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 2.—Twenty-nine persons were killed, 100 injured, and more than 200 were jailed on various charges during the Pacific Coast's celebration on New Year's Eve and day, figures compiled by the Associated Press reveal. Five deaths occurred in the San Francisco Bay region. Los Angeles reported nineteen killed. Three deaths resulted from traffic accidents at Tacoma, and two sons of the Shasta County, California, sheriff, were burned to death in an automobile accident.

Viceroy Drives Through Streets

Calcutta, Bengal, Jan. 2.—Extreme precautions were taken today to prevent harm befalling Lord Irwin, Viceroy of India and Lady Irwin when they drove in state to the Howrah railway station to take a train for Assam.

Owners of houses along the route were made responsible by police for seeing no strangers or servants were given access to windows or balconies overlooking the street until the procession had passed.

MARLER SENT TO CHINA ON WHEAT PLAN

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—The Vancouver Province published the following in its news columns to-day:

Hon. Herbert M. Marler, head of Canada's Embassy to the Orient, has been sent to China on a great diplomatic and commercial mission. It is entirely possible that, arising from his visit, Canada will sell 100,000,000 bushels of wheat. But that may be only an incidental of his conferences if plans being worked out in London and Ottawa come into being.

Behind the wheat deal is a great project, initiated by Hon. H. H. Stevens, Canadian Minister of Trade and Commerce, for the granting of a billion-dollar loan to China, designed to reinstate the values of silver all through the Orient and finally to place China "on her feet" so completely that she will become a huge and profitable market for British, Canadian and American goods.

"Hon. R. B. Bennett merely hinted at the plan in hand when he addressed a large gathering at Regina last Tuesday evening. He intimated some credit arrangements might have to be made to enable China to buy Canadian wheat in large quantities. He did not attempt to outline the very interesting and stupendous plan which is now being descussed in London, New York, Washington and Ottawa for the rehabilitation of silver and the general reorganization of Oriental trade and markets."

"Generally, the plan is to call together the five or six leading warlords of China, who at present are fighting amongst themselves and maintaining armies totaling 3,000,000 men living by pillage of the population. The project is to 'sell' the Chinese leaders with the idea everyone would be infinitely better off if the Chinese armies were turned into industrial units, carrying out great public works. If a semblance of peace can thus be attained then Britain and the United States would jointly arrange a loan of a thousand million dollars to be spent in opening China by railways and highways and by lending support to various schemes to bring about an era of orderly civilization throughout the nation."

TWO KILLED IN FIGHT

Berlin, Jan. 2.—In a New Year's fight between National Socialists and members of a Republican Reichsbanner group, Willy Schneider and August Graf were shot to death yesterday evening. The fight occurred, police said, when a group of National Socialists entered the Reichsbanner meeting plane on Hufelandstrasse.

French Bank Cuts Rate to 2 Per Cent

Paris, Jan. 2.—The Bank of France to-day lowered its rediscount rate from two- and one-half to two per cent.

France Welcomes Mussolini's Words

Paris, Jan. 2—The pacific utterances of Premier Mussolini of Italy in his address yesterday evening to the United States, people, in which he declared Italy would never start a war, were favorably received in France.

Le Temps emphasized to-day that Mussolini could rest assured no nation wished to take Italy by the throat, but warned that any attempt to force a revision of the war treaties would risk plunging Europe into another war.

France, meantime, is awaiting with optimism the resumption of naval negotiations with Italy.

MAHARAJAH BRINGS GOOD LUCK FOR YEAR TO PREMIER

London, Jan. 2.—When a Scotsman talks about "first footing" he is referring to an old Scottish legend which says a dark man must be the first to cross the threshold of a home on New Year's Day. Premier Ramsay MacDonald is a Scotsman.

While the Prime Minister was entertaining a few close friends at No. 10 Downing Street just before midnight of the Old Year, the very tall, very dark Maharajah of Alwar rang the bell and brought a gift of Scotch Shortbread. He was the first visitor of the New Year.

NEW INDIA CONSTITUTION REPORT SOON

Conference Recommendations on Central Government's Powers Expected

Delegates in London Urged to Leave Many Details to Be Worked Out By Experts

By George Hambleton, Canadian Press Staff Correspondent

London, Jan. 2.—"Avoid vague phrases," Baron Sankey urged warmingly to-day as the India Round-Table Conference here came to grips with its paramount issue of the powers and responsibilities of the central federal executive.

"Build of the rocks of good-will and not on the 'sands of suspicion,'" the Lord Chancellor said. "In my view it is not the slightest use Britain suggesting something to India it is not worth having. On the other hand, it is no use India demanding something which Britain cannot now grant. It is no use putting forward at this stage of the proceedings visionary suggestions or impossible ideals. Practicable working schemes are wanted."

TIME GROWS SHORT

The Lord Chancellor said he did not think it possible in the time remaining at the disposal of the conference to go into minute details. The delegates must deal generally with the constitution, leaving many minor details to be worked out by experts.

Lord Sankey's words were uttered at a session of the federal structure subcommittee, which proposes to sit mornings and afternoons for a week discussing the problems. About the end of next week as chairman of the sub-committee the Lord Chancellor expects to prepare a draft of the recommendations.

The problem the committee now has in hand is the vital one of how far the federal government of new India is to be made responsible to the federal Legislature. At present the Government of British India is not responsible to the Legislature of British India, although the provincial governments, under the diarchal system, are partially responsibe to the provincial legislatures.

FINANCE QUESTIONS

Lord Sankey further suggested lines of discussion emphasizing the importance of finance. One of the chief things he urged was that something must be done to secure the credit stability of the country. He was thinking first of India, but the interests of Britain must also be secured in such things as future loans. There was also the position of the Governor-General.

"I desire," added the Lord Chancellor, "to go as far as possible toward satisfying the aspirations of the people of India with due safeguards for both India and Britain."

Previous to Lord Sankey's remarks the sub-committee had discussed the constitution of the new federal Legislature. To-day's discussion favored: (1) An upper house chone by indirect election, and (2) a lower house chosen by direct election, largely favored, but with full recognition of geographical and other existing difficulties owing to the size of areas and the number of people to be consulted.

VANCOUVER MILK SUPPLY FIRMS MERGE

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The Valley Dairy has approximately sixty wagons, nearly all horse-drawn.

Officials of the Associated Dairies, who frankly admit being in a state of confusion at this time due to the amalgamating process going on, stated one of the steps necessary to the successful merging of eight dairies into one was to bring the various wage scales to one equitable basis and that the change made at the Valley Dairy was to that end.

They expected little difficulty once the matter was threshed out at this afternoon's conference with the union officials.

O.C. Football

Glasgow, Scotland, Jan. 2.—Three games played to-day in the Second Division of the Scottish Football Association League resulted as follows:

Alloa 3, Albion Rovers 3.
Raith Rovers 2, Bo'ness 0.
Third Lanark 3, Arbroath 3.

NEW RULERS IN PANAMA AFTER REVOLT

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This morning a group of about 100 men stormed headquarters of the National Police, which force also serves as Panama's only standing army, and after firing a few bursts of shooting captured the police station.

Simultaneously an attack was made on the presidential palace, which also fell. President Arosemena was confined to his quarters in the palace, presumably under arrest.

GOVERNOR ARRESTED

Several other government officers were placed under arrest, including Archibaldo Eoyd, Governor of the Province of Panama, and Ricardo Arango, head of the police.

The whereabouts of Vice-President Tomas Gabriel Duques was not known, but it was believed he had escaped to safety. The Second Vice-President, Carlos Lopez, also was believed to have escaped to the Canal Zone.

GUARDS PLACED

After the first attacks had succeeded, armed civilians associated with the revolutionists patrolled the city under the direction of General Manuel Quintero.

Shops remained closed, there was no bus service and throughout the city automobiles carrying armed men dashed about, posting guards on police duty.

NO INTERVENTION

Washington, Jan. 2.—State Department officials to-day said United States intervention in Panama as a result of the revolution was unlikely.

THREE KILLED

Boston, Jan. 2.—Local business interests received messages saying revolutionists to-day had overthrown the Government of the Republic of Panama. Three persons were reported killed and several others injured.

United States soldiers were said to be guarding the United States legation.

Florencio Harmodio Arosemena was elected President of Panama in August, 1928, for a four-year term under the constitution adopted in 1904. The republic has no army or navy and the maintenance of order rests on the police force, an official body organized and directed till now by United States officers.

Under the treaty with the United States, the Washington Government protects the Panama Republic from foreign aggression and intervenes in case of serious domestic strife, on the call of the President of Panama.

Political unrest which was widespread in Latin-America last year extended to Panama last fall when dissension arose among members of the Cabinet of five ministers. Four of the ministers resigned in protest against the activities of Jephtha B. Duncan, Secretary of Public Instruction.

NEW SECRETARY NAMED

The cabinet crisis was solved shortly afterward when Duncan was replaced, but the spirit of unrest was not entirely eliminated.

When Arosemena rode into office on a Liberal landslide he carried with him control of the National Assembly. The election was without disturbance, although during the campaign there had been considerable opposition from the Conservative, Labor and Young Independent parties. The former was strongest in Colon and the Young Independent vote was largely confined to Panama City.

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TEACHERS ARE BUSY IN JAILS OF DOMINION

Superintendent of Penitentiaries Heads Large Educational System

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—Corporal punishment, especially the lash, is one of the most effective of modern crime deterrents, Brig.-Gen. W. St. Pierre Hughes, head of the Canadian penitentiary system, said to-day. He would dislike to see it abolished because, in his opinion, it compels a respect for law and order among a certain criminal class to a greater extent than any other agency.

As superintendent of the penitentiaries of Canada, General Hughes is the active head of one of the Dominion's greatest educational systems. He looks upon his position not as that of a Bastillian jailer, but as head of an organization designed to rehabilitate men who have run foul of laws and conventions. The prison population of Canada is 3,450 and of these over eighty per cent. are "going to school," in one form or another.

In seven penitentiaries, stretching from the Atlantic to the Pacific, instructors and teachers constantly are at work. Illiterates are taught to read and write, unskilled laborers are instructed in trades and in every way men are equipped so they may take their normal places in society on completing their terms.

VARIED OCCUPATIONS

Every man sentenced to a Canadian penitentiary must expiate his crime "at hard labor." This does not mean necessary he will work in a stone quarry. He may be taught to be a carpenter, canvas worker, tailor, blacksmith, farmer, stonemason, shoemaker, tinsmith, motor mechanic, bricklayer or baker. These trades are taught by competent instructors and many men have "graduated" from a Canadian penitentiary skilled in one or more of them.

General Hughes said it was a common occurrence for convicts to become very efficient in a trade and one man, who has been called "Canada's boldest bank robber," at the present time is the best carpenter in one penitentiary. Individual cases of initiative and skill are common and several inmates have patented inventions. The locking system used to house the men in Canadian penitentiaries was invented by a prisoner nearly fifty years ago, and it has baffled them ever since. The folding beds they sleep on were the invention of another. Curiously enough, many attempts are made to discover the secret of perpetual motion and the Canadian Patent Bureau annually receives several applications in this connection from Penitentiary inmates.

TAKE PROVINCIAL EXAMS

In one of the largest penitentiaries last year twenty-five inmates passed provincial departmental examinations, some of them with high marks. So enthusiastic over their education do some of the men become that some time ago one of them actually thanked the government for the opportunity he had been given. On several occasions men have refused parole so they might try a coming examination.

KIDNAPPED ST. LOUIS BOY IS SENT HOME

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 2.—Charles Y. Abernathy, twenty-eight-year-old negro and son of Pearl Abernathy, negro real estate dealer here, was the kidnapper of Adolphus Busch Orthwein, thirteen-year-old grandson of August A. Busch, president of Anheuser-Busch Inc., Harry Troll, attorney for the family, disclosed to-day.

The boy, a great-grandson of the late Adolphus Busch, multi-millionaire brewer, who was kidnapped New Year's Eve, was returned to his parents late yesterday unharmed. Troll said no ranson had been paid, although the family previously had announced they would pay a "generous reward" for the boy's return and would ask no questions.

"No reward was requested and none was paid," Troll said.

Troll said the Busch family would have stood by the agreement that any informant furnishing information leading to the return of the boy would be rewarded generously "and that absolutely no questions would be asked."

"All I can say further is that the transaction to get back the child came about through a connection made thirty years ago," Troll said.

FOUR IN AUTO DROWNED IN OTTAWA RIVER

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—Blinded by a raging storm, three men and a woman were trapped in an automobile which plunged into a hole in the ice of the Ottawa River a mile east of Rockland and were drowned late Wednesday afternoon. The tragedy was not discovered until yesterday, when relatives became alarmed at their absence from home and instituted a search.

The victims were:

Azarias Barbeau, twenty-seven, of Clarence Creek, driver of the automobile.

Mrs. Irvine Arnold, twenty-three, of Clarence Point, Barbeau's cousin.

Augustin Beauline, twenty-eight, of Rockland East.

Edgar Charron, twenty-seven, of Rockland.

Sole evidence of the disaster was a hole, 300 feet square, a quarter of a mile from the Quebec shore of the Ottawa River between Thurso and Rockland. Tire tracks led to the hole and disappeared at the brink.

The quartette drove to their deaths while returning to their homes after a brief New Year's Eve visit to Thurso, a village on the Quebec side four miles east of Rockland. They had driven to Thurso by road, but apparently intending to save time on the return journey, took to the ice on the way back.

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BALTIMORE FIRE CAUSE OF DEATH

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 2.—One man was killed and four slightly injured as fire yesterday evening destroyed the four-story brick plant of The Baltimore Post.

Eighteen persons hurried down fire escapes and ladders as six alarms rushed all available apparatus to the scene. The man killed was Joseph R. Douglass, a linotype operator, who jumped from the third floor.

An explosion in the photographic department on the second floor, next to the editorial department, as a late edition was being sent to the press, was believed responsible for the fire. Flames spread quickly through the entire structure, many years old, and swept up the stairs. Flames leaped high into the sky, and a heavy pall of smoke settled over the waterfront.

Most of the people were in the composing room, on the third floor, and all left, except Douglass, by the rear fire escape.

Many leaped from windows after reaching the second floor.

Printer Shares In $500,000 Estate

Columbia S.C., Jan. 2. — Quest of Carlos O'Brien, printer, reputed to be one of the heirs to a $500,000 estate in Ireland, ended here yesterday evening.

O'Brien was located in a cheap room over a restaurant that caters to railroad workers. He reserved comment on his reported good fortune.

Search for him was started when S. O. Garrison, secretary of the typographical Union at Raleigh, N.C., received a request from a New York union to help locate O'Brien, who had spent several weeks in Raleigh, but left just before Christmas.

LONDON TIMES DEALS WITH TRADE AND BENNETT

Canadian Press

London, Jan. 2.—"Premier Bennett is still evidently depressed by the apathy with which British ministers regard dumping on the British market of grain from Russia," said The London Times to-day in commenting on the Canadian Prime Minister's agricultural relief proposals as outlined in a speech at Regina.

"This Soviet wheat," continued The Times, "is dumped at prices with which neither the British nor the Dominion farmer can compete."

The newspaper noted Mr. Bennett hoped for great benefits for the Empire from the adjourned Imperial Conference which will meet in Ottawa and proceeded: "While similar faith has been expressed by members of the British Government, faith alone will not produce agreements of mutual benefit to producers in the different parts of the Empire. A thorough preparatory study of the difficulties involved is needed as well as a real determination to overcome them.

"The problem could, indeed, be simplified if the governments could be brought to regard it with a broader vision—if they could be prevailed on to think less of striking an advantageous bargain from their own particular viewpoint and to think more of reaching a co-operative agreement to develop the resources of the Empire as a whole for the benefit of all nations of the British Commonwealth."

Copper Outlook Clouded By High Level Of Stocks

"Stocks of refined copper on December 1 showed a further increase of almost 5,000 tons," points out The Brookmire Economic Service in the last issue of their Analyst. "This brings total stocks to the highest level on record with a single exception. Curtailment recently announced by several producers will probably be noticeable when December statistics become available.

"Under existing stagnation in demand only very light improvement in the statistical position of the metal can be expected for several months. Furthermore, the longer time outlook is clouded by developments in Rhodesia. By the time the present heavy stocks can be worked off, production in the new area will be under way. And in the meantime, production in Canada will probably continue its increase.

"The price of copper was reduced to 10c last week. The lowest official price in the present cycle was 9¼c per pound. Obviously the increase to 12c following the recent curtailment conference caused a drying up in demand and forced the downward revisions which are now in evidence."

New Year's Party Turns Into Melee

Corunna, Spain, Jan. 2.—A gay New Year's party here turned into a sanguinary affair yesterday with three persons gravely injured and several others slightly hurt. Knives, sticks and even scythes swished through the air as the melee developed, and civil guards who stopped the battle confiscated a great variety of weapons. Seven youths were arrested.

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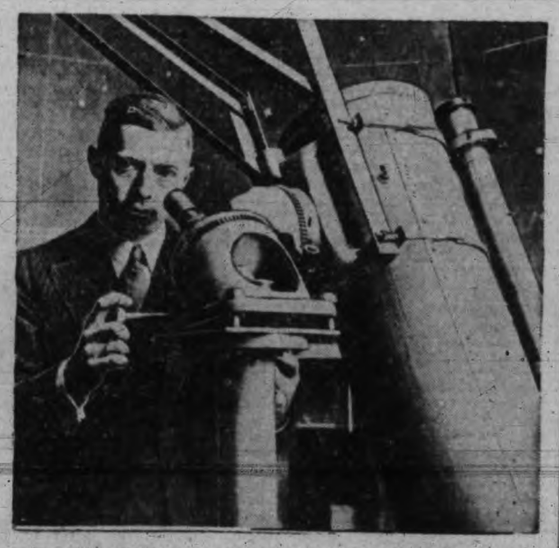

Leo J. Scanlon, Pittsburg amateur student of stars, looking through a large hand-made telescope housed in observatory in his yard.

TROOPS PURSUE BURMA REBELS

Rangoon, Burma, Jan. 2.—Agile Burmese riflemen to-day trailed fleeing insurgents through the jungles and hills toward the mountains, where the rebels, driven from their headquarters at Alantaung Camp, hoped to find hiding places.

Although about three-score insurgents were taken prisoners by the Burmese troops in the assault on Alantaug camp and seventeen were killed, the mysterious leader of the rebellion, which has disrupted northern Burma for the last week, escaped.

The troops are making a particular effort to capture him, since they feel that as long as he is at liberty there is danger of repercussion of the movement.

Tharawaddy, Burma, Jan. 2.—Two defeats were believed to-day to have broken the back of the rebel movement which has harassed this northern Burma area for a week. Alantaung camp, headquarters of the movement, was captured by Burma Rifles Tuesday. It stood atop a hill in a dense jungle village, and strongly fortified, was regarded by the Burmese as impregnable. Seventeen defenders were killed.

At Pashegyan yesterday ten rebels were mowed down by machine guns of the Burma and Kachin Rifles as they emerged from a jungle into three sides of a clearing. Others, who carried a red banner and had set fire to quantities of stores, fled.

The local authorities estimate nearly 300 rebels have been either killed or wounded during the recent operations, while sixty have been captured.

NINE AUTOISTS LOSE THEIR LIVES

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Nine persons, including two women and five children, met death yesterday evening when the sedan in which they were riding was demolished at a grade crossing in suburban Harvey by the International Limited of the Grand Trunk Railway. The deaths brought Chicago's holiday toll to fifteen.

A three months-old baby girl, Loraine Margaret Olason, was the only survivor of the crossing smash. She was found by rescuers in a snow-filled ditch, crying, but without a scratch on her body. Investigators expressed belief she had been tossed out of the automobile by her mother before the locomotive struck the auto.

Loraine's parents, and Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Alason of Elmhurst, Ill., and their children, Calvin, six, Muriel, five, and Vilborg, 4, were killed. The other victims were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nowak, of Chicago, and their children, Loraine, five, and Adam, eight.

Women Robbed Of $45,000 in Jewelry During Card Game

Cleveland, Jan. 2.—Bandits obtained $45,000 worth of jewelry in the robbery of two women and three men in an east-end apartment here yesterday evening, police were told.

Mrs. B. E. Jacobs, owner of most of the jewelry, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Atwater, who live in the same apartment, and two guests were interrupted in the midst of a card game when three men knocked at the door and forced their way inside.

The invaders, armed with revolvers and wearing false moustaches or handkerchief disguises, forced the victims to line up against a wall with raised hands.

After filling their pockets with rings and necklaces, the trio bound their victims hand and foot, tied pillow cases over their heads, cut the telephone wire and escaped.

FLIERS' FUNERALS

Montreal, Jan. 2.—The body of W. H. Cannon, freight plane pilot, who was killed with his mechanic, Leonce Lizotte, in the crash of their airplane near Lake Chibougamau, October 9, 1929, was brought to Montreal yesterday aboard a monoplane sent out by his former employers, the Curtiss-Reid Company. The remains were taken Wednesday from the wrecked machine, in which they had lain over a year. Their discovery by wandering Indian trappers having been learned only on Christmas Day. The body of Lizotte was interred at Roberval, home of his parents. The body of Cannon will be buried here.

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PASSING ALL UNDERSTANDING

THIS NEWSPAPER ON WEDNESDAY printed a story which furnishes fresh proof that it is high time many of our immigration regulations were overhauled and some commonsense driven into the heads of the immigration department chiefs at Ottawa. The story has to do with an officer of the Chinese Maritime Customs department, Italian by birth, who is about to retire after twenty-six years of service and who with his wife and family wants to erect a home and settle on a small poultry farm near this city. Upon his retirement from the Chinese service he will have a minimum of $25,000 available for his purpose. His attention was drawn to the desirability of Canada as a place of residence by advertising sent out from Victoria, and he got into communication on the matter with the local publicity bureau, which sent his letter to the immigration department at Ottawa.

The immigration department's reply to the application as published in The Times on Wednesday is so striking an example of the stupidity of red-taped officialdom that we make no apology in reproducing it here:

"I regret to advise that the movement to Canada of yourself and family cannot be encouraged. You evidently would not be able to comply with our immigration regulations, particularly in the matter of passport, continuous journey and occupation. With regard to the latter regulation I may say that immigration is encouraged only of bona fide agriculturists coming to Canada to farm, and having in their possession sufficient means with which to commence farming in Canada. While you state that you would purchase a small bungalow in Victoria or vicinity and spend your time in poultry raising and vegetable gardening, it is evident that you do not belong to the agricultural class. Under existing economic conditions in this Dominion it is regretted that we are unable to offer any relaxation of our regulations in your behalf."

The continuous passage regulation to which the department's letter refers prohibits "the landing in Canada of any immigrant who has come otherwise than by a continuous journey from the country of which he is a native or naturalized citizen or upon through ticket purchase in that country or prepaid in Canada." This provision was inserted in the act more than twenty years ago, chiefly for the purpose of checking the movement to Canada of Orientals, particularly East Indians who used to change ships at Hongkong, and Japanese who came to this coast from the Hawaiian Islands. It never was intended—certainly not at that time—to apply to Europeans of culture and means who desired to settle in Canada. There is not the slightest doubt that if the present applicant had five million pounds to dispose of instead of five thousand, the reply of the department would have been the same. There are many similar cases, some of them worse than this one, on the records.

If the department had wished it could have suspended the regulation in this case as it has the power through its minister to do. The applicant is a cultured gentleman, all of whose associations for more than a quarter of a century in China have been British, and who, as he says in his letter, would feel more at home in a British country on his retirement than he would in the land of his birth. Incidentally, he has been invited to New Zealand, and there no doubt he will go.

What on earth is the use of Canada advertising for settlers of means when the door can be slammed in their faces when they try to get here? We suggest to Mr. Plunkett, M.P. for Victoria, that herein lies a fine opportunity of immortalizing himself by starting a thorough overhaul of the department of immigration at Ottawa.

WHAT THE FIGURES SHOW

THE FOLLOWING EXTRACT FROM Mr. Bennett's Regina speech—which many of the Canadian newspapers published verbatim—is worth noting for its special reference to empire trade and the Ottawa government's attitude towards it:

The Conservative party stands for Canada first. And that doctrine will be accepted by other countries as an intimation that no longer will there be found in the government of this country that indifference which inevitably has meant in many of our trade agreements, Canada last. Witness the injurious results that followed the Australian and New Zealand treaties.

The treaty with Australia went into operation in October, 1925, and in the five years which have elapsed since then Canada's sales to that Dominion have amounted in value to $79,086,841, and our purchases during the same period were worth $22,323,922—a balance in this country's favor of no less than $56,762,919.

At a considerably later date the provisions of the treaty with Australia were extended to New Zealand. For comparative purposes we may quote the business of the same five-year period. Our sales to that Dominion amounted in value to $75,125,739 and our purchases amounted to $46,438,429, or a balance in this country's favor of $28,687,310. So the "injurious results" of Canada's dealing with the two southern Dominions comprise a combined credit balance of no less than $85,450,229!

Mr. Bennett should be familiar with these figures, so when he said that injurious results have followed the Australian and New Zealand treaties he was indulging in misrepresentation, which can not be explained away by the familiar alibi of incorrect newspaper reporting, since he furnished the press with a copy of his speech before it was delivered.

A WISE PROPOSAL

IN AN ADDRESS IN NEW YORK RECENTLY Hon. Ernest Lapointe advocated the establishment of an international commission with a scope broader than that of the Joint International Waterways Commission, a suggestion advanced by Chief Justice Hughes of the United States Supreme Court before the Canadian Bar Association seven years ago. Mr. Lapointe favors a body that would examine all matters affecting the two countries, a fact-finding body which "would let in the light so that the two governments could see more clearly the merits of any claim or protest." The former Minister of Justice points out that the Waterways Commission has functioned with conspicuous success, hence he considers that it should be possible to agree upon a similar commission "to which all causes of conflict, all kinds of disputes would be referred."

In 1923 Chief Justice Hughes recommended a commission composed of "our most distinguished citizens" as a permanent body . . . "with equal representation of both the United States and Canada, to which automatically there would be referred, for examination and report as to the facts, questions arising as to the bearing of action by either government upon the interests of the other, to the end that each reasonably protecting its own interests would be so advised that it would avoid action inflicting unnecessary injury upon its neighbor." As The Manitoba Free Press contends, "there is no satisfaction or gain in disputing, but there is advantage in having disputed matters cleared up with as little delay as possible." And as Mr. Lapointe emphasizes, speaking of Canada and the United States, "our interrelations are probably our most important business, and we must see to it that nothing at any time may affect them adversely"—a statement with which all will agree.

OUR CENTURY

IT WAS SIR WILFRID LAURIER WHO said that the twentieth century would be Canada's, and so far his prediction is being borne out by developments. The National Industrial Conference Board of the United States, with headquarters in New York, recently issued a statement about our economic growth which it thinks "will be surprising to the average United States reader." We select the following from many comparisons quoted:

Manufacturing in Canada has increased 684 per cent since the beginning of the century.

Canada's export trade by 1930 was 525 per cent greater, and its import trade 623 per cent greater, than in 1900.

The per capita value of Canada's manufactures is now $390, compared with $564 in the United States.

On a per capita basis, Canada's water power development is five times that of the United States.

The per capita ratio of improved farms in Canada is 8.05 acres as against 4.40 acres in the United States.

The amount of wheat grown in Canada is five times as great per capita as that grown in the United States.

Production of gold, on the same basis, was last year 38 cents in the United States and $4.07 in Canada, which means that total gold production in the Dominion was very nearly equal to that in the republic.

Whether this rate of development will continue in the next thirty years, we cannot say. World conditions may impose a certain slackening up. In any event, however, it is safe to say that in the days to come the Canadian people, as they are now, will find life less difficult than the people of many other countries.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

SIR BASIL ZAHAROFF
The Hamilton Herald

Sir Basil Zaharoff is said to be visiting England. Sir Basil is a Greek, born in 1850, but naturalized in France where he has lived. He does not look at all like what might be imagined from his name, though there is more of the Basil in the appearance than of the Zaharoff. He is said to be a man of charming and fascinating manners, but he makes no friends except among royalty. Consequently there is little to be said of him by outsiders. His fortune is the greatest in the world outside America, and his influence is corresponding. He received the G.C.B. in 1921, an unusual honor, presumably for some services rendered during the Great War. He also has had the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor. He has been much interested in aviation and has established chairs on this subject in the Universities of Paris and Petrograd. Also one in England attached to the Imperial College of Science. He also provided for a Marshal Foch Professorship of French Literature at Oxford University and a Field-Marshal Haig Chair of English Literature at the Paris University.

A THOUGHT

God is my strength and power and he maketh my way perfect.—II Samuel xxii 33.

God is truth, and light His shadow.—Plato.

Twenty-five Years Ago To-day

THE VICTORIA DAILY TIMES, JAN. 2, 1906

The year 1905, with all its joys and sorrows, has passed into history. To many it seems but a short span since the same was said of the year previous, demonstrating the truth of the remark made by a local pastor during the progress of watch-night services to the effect that the unrelenting scythe of Father Time appears to gather speed as the ages advance.

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Weather forecast—Northerly winds, rain or sleet and stationary or lower temperature.

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There will be a fight for the mayoralty. Two candidates have buckled on their armor and the municipal arena will be the scene of a lively contest for the chief magistracy. In to-day's Times will be seen the announcement of Charles Hayward, several times mayor and a veteran in municipal government. A. J. Morley has already hoisted his pennant, so now, doubtless the active campaign will begin.

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The Victoria and Vancouver rugby teams played an exceedingly close game yesterday morning at the Oak Bay park. At the finish of the game the score stood one try to nil in favor of the local fifteen, the latter having secured the three winning points shortly before the referee's whistle announced the expiring of time.

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Captain McLeod, of the C.P.R. steamer Amur, arrived from Skagway with a big list of passengers from Skagway on Saturday night. He reports that the stranded steamer Portland, which struck Spire Rock, about six miles south of Ketchikan a week or two ago, has since been given up as a total loss.

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Rapid progress is being made on the new C.P.R. steamer being built at the B.C. Marine Railway Company's yard at Esquimalt. Machinery for the vessel, as previously announced, is coming from the Old Country, and by September it is calculated the new princess will be ready for launching. The name of the new steamer will be the Princess Beatrice.

Loose Ends

The prospects of A.D. 1931—economic and cultural—as we see them out our way—after the splendid progress of A.D. 1930.

By H. B. W.

WELL, A.D. 1931 has come at last, which might have been an unexpected accident, judging by the fuss made over its arrival among the more festive members of this community. Yes, A.D. 1931 is here, and all the best authorities are busy predicting what kind of a year it will be. As one of the very best authorities, I feel I must give the world the benefit of my own prognostications, based on an intimate knowledge of conditions.

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ON THE WHOLE, I feel confident it will be a good year. In the first place, the winter, I am able to announce, will be mild. Thi is assured by the discovery of two snakes sunning themselves in Mr. Whiffleton's garden only yesterday which, according to Mr. Whiffleton (who came running up to the house with one wriggling in each hand) is a sure sign that it will be a warm winter. "I never goes much on your scientific weather perdictions," said Mr. Whiffleton, dangling the snakes in front of our eyes, "Leave it to nater, I say. You can trust 'er all right. And when snakes is out a-sunnin' theirselves in December then you may be sure the winter'll be mild." To confirm which Mr. Whiffleton kindly offered the snakes to us as a present, but we felt we could not accept such generosity. So he went on with his snakes and his good news to George Pudbury. I suppose he will carry them all over the neighborhood to assure it of a good winter, just as they used to carry a fiery cross in olden times.

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ECONOMIC CONDITIONS during the year should be good, too. Out our way, for the present at least, there is no immediate lack of any of the essential things of life. That is to say, we have ten sacks of potatoes pitted under the big fir tree with two sacks of carrots not far off. There are seven great squashes in the root cellar, together with five large yellow vegetable marrows and a string of onions braided together, six feet long, besides 115 bottles of jam and forty-three bottles of pickles at the last census. There are fourteen enormous green cabbages and five cauliflowers out in the vegetable garden still, if old Mrs. Blumby's white rabbit has left them alone, and the mushrooms are thick under the oak trees (though they are not of great economic importance, as we never eat them without suffering agonies of suspense, until we are quite sure that they weren't toadstools after all).

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LIVESTOCK, TOO, has come through these hard times in a most satisfactory manner, and we start this year with great expectations. That is to say, Mr. Pudbury's little Jersey cow is about to present him with another calf, and one of Mrs. Glumby's hens has gone off secretly into the woods and hatched out a brood of ten black chickens without anyone's permission. (This is a curious time of the year for such a hatching, but the color of the black chicks is still more so, for all Mrs. Glumby's hens are white, which has fashioned a scurrilous suspicion on Colonel Foozle's black rooster up the road.) And as I have already informed the public, we have had a gift of a new turtle and our seven goldfish have survived the year's hardships, including the stones thrown at them regularly every morning at 10 o'clock by the little girl next door.

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BUT THESE are all mundane things. There have been more important avenues of endeavor out our way and more encouraging signs of progress. It was only last Sunday, for example, that the little girl from next door started to go to Sunday school. What is more satisfactory and more elevating, she went of her own free will, uninvited by the church and without even the knowledge of her parents. As far as we can make out, by reconstructing the matter after it happened, she found some older children bound for Sunday school and just went along with them—they dressed in their Sunday best of blue sailor hats and reefer jackets with brass buttons, she in her old green hat, her disreputable tweed coat, her blue woolly pants, and her gum boots covered with mud and her tattered red mittens. What transpired at Sunday school, or what the Sunday school teacher thought of her new pupil, we do not know. We have only the word of one of the other pupils that the Sunday school closed early that day, and the assurance of the little girl on her return that she had been "singing pretty hums and carrets," which we take to mean hymns and carols. Knowing how she would sing hymns and carols with volume enough to lift the roof off the Sunday school we were not surprised that the class closed early. But not early enough to prevent the little girl imbibing a variety of religious knowledge which must have been gratifying to her parents. She came home talking about a fat man who had been swallowed by a big, big fish, and another gentleman who had eaten a big, big red apple. On the whole, I think we can say that the religious outlook for this year is very gratifying.

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CULTURE GENERALLY has flourished as well. Even Mr. Pudbury has shown a sudden new interest in literature and has subscribed for three years to The News of the World, because, he says, it prints so much news about the little towns and the people he used to know in England. He was even rewarded for his studies the other day by discovering in this valuable paper that one of his old Devonshire cronies had committed a horrible murder and had been hanged for it. Deeply gratified, Mr. Pudbury said: "Now that's what I call a newspaper that's worth while, by gum. Well, I'm certainly glad my old father gave me a good schoolin'. Ejukation do count, don't it?"

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The Weather

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Unsettled

Victoria, 5 a.m., Jan. 2.—An ocean storm is centred off Vancouver Island, and stormy weather has extended to California. The weather is turning colder in the prairies.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.42; temperature, maximum yesterday 45, minimum 43; wind, 8 miles S.E.; rain, trace; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.42; temperature, maximum yesterday 43, minimum 43; calm; rain, .24; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, maximum yesterday 50, minimum 40; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, .16; raining.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.30; temperature, maximum yesterday 48, minimum 40; wind, 20 miles S.E.; rain, .90; raining.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.30; temperature, maximum yesterday 46, minimum 44; wind, 14 miles S.E.; rain, .68; cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.32; temperature, maximum yesterday 44, minimum 32; wind, 4 miles N.E.; rain, .42; raining.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.44; temperature, maximum yesterday 46, minimum 42; wind, 10 miles S.; rain, .32; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday 58, minimum 52; wind, 6 miles N.; rain, .44; cloudy.

Temperature

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	45	43
Vancouver	43	42
New Westminster	43	40
Kamloops	34	26
Prince George	30	10
Penticton	34	..
Nelson	29	..
Saskatoon	18	11
Calgary	46	12
Edmonton	40	16
Qu'Appelle	22	4
Regina	23	8
Winnipeg	16	12
Toronto	31	..
Ottawa	26	..
Montreal	28	..
St. John	30	..
Halifax	40	..
Dawson	10	10

Forecast

Victoria and vicinity for 36 hours ending 5 p.m. Saturday: Fresh to high east and south winds, unsettled and mild with rain.

REPORT FILED UPON TRAGEDY AT COALMONT

Disaster Caused By Gas in Abandoned Level of Mine, Says Thomas Graham

The explosion at number four mine of the Coalmont Collieries, which on August 13 last killed forty-five miners of Coalmont and Blakeburn, was caused by accumulation of gas in a worked out area off number fifteen level, Thomas Graham, special investigator, has reported to Hon. W. A. McKenzie, Minister of Mines.

Mr. Graham reported favorably on the general freedom of the mine from explosive gas, commenting: "My own observations, made at a time when ventilation was still impaired, convince me that the mine was singularly free from explosive gas and could in no sense be termed a gaseous mine. At the time of the disaster, however, some combustible must have been present to explain what happened."

Direct evidence on this matter, tendered by T. Ewing, a miner, to the effect that he had smelled smoke while on shift the morning of the explosion, was upheld by Mr. Graham, who found that the area indicated by the witness held possibilities o containing gas, as a result of the manner in which it was stopped. "It is therefore reasonable to assume that the area did contain gas, and that it was the ignition of this gas that caused the explosion," is Mr. Graham's conclusion.

Godfrey Scores a Knockout in First Minute Over Italian

Mexico City, Jan. 2.—George Godfrey, Leiperville, Pa., negro heavyweight, knocked out Salvatore Ruggiello of Italy in the first minute of fighting of their bout in the bull ring here yesterday evening.

The bout scarcely had gotten under way when Godfrey drove a hard right to the heart and Ruggiello went down for the count. A crowd of 10,000 saw the match.

Ready to Please

"Waiter, an egg, boiled not too soft and not too hard—toast, also not too hard but well browned."

"Yes, sir; any special pattern on the china?"

MUSSOLINI'S RADIO SPEECH HEARD HERE

Victorians Listened in on New Year Address Carried Across Atlantic

Canadian Press

Rome, Jan. 2.—Benito Mussolini, Italian Premier, spoke for sixteen minutes into a microphone here yesterday evening in English, to an audience of millions of listeners in the United States and Canada.

Il Duce, who is reputed not to have known a word of English at the time of his rise to power eight years ago, used the occasion of the first Italy-North American international broadcast to express wishes for a Happy New Year, explain some of the tenets of Italy's Fascist regime and to declare Italy never would start a war.

He pointed out he himself had fought in the ranks and had been seriously wounded and asked how anyone with his experience as a man and a statesman could consider a future conflict without horror.

He was emphatic in his assertion neither he nor his people desired another conflict of arms. The training Fascist youths undergo, which has a strong military flavor, he described as simply to make them strong, self-reliant and disciplined.

"We cannot conceive of modern history without the United States," he said. "Had they not brought their formidable weight to bear on the situation — moved thereto mainly by idealistic motives—the Great War would not have been won. Without their co-operation the world cannot recover from the post-war crisis and their help is necessary if prosperity is to return."

RELIEF WORK

"We have half a million unemployed in Italy at the present time. I prefer relief in the form of public works which substantially increase the efficiency of our national economic equipment. Doles tend to influence the workers toward idleness."

He said all reports to the contrary, the man power and economic forces of Italy stood solidly behind Fascism.

The large emigration of Italians to the United States and of American tourists to Italy, he declared, fostered friendship between the two countries.

In conclusion, he said:

"I am confident the peace of the world will be preserved and before long a new era of prosperity will dawn."

Radio listeners in Victoria heard Premier Mussolini's address.

Heavy Coastal Gale Touched City Lightly

Mild weather, with some rain, will be Victoria's portion for the first few days of the new year, according to F. Napier Denison, superintendent of the Gonzales Observatory. Early yesterday evening Victoria experienced a small share of a heavy gale which has been general along the Pacific Coast, the wind attaining forty-eight miles at times between 8 and 9 o'clock.

At Portland snow fell early yesterday, turning to rain later. Rain also fell heavily in California, being especially welcome in the Sacramento Valley and around San Francisco.

Belanger Defeats Lomski and Wins So-called Title

Portland, Ore., Jan. 2.—Charlie Belanger, Winnipeg, Canada, lightweight, won the so-called Pacific Coast light-heavyweight championship here yesterday with a ten-round decision over Leo Lomski, Aberdeen, Wash., in the main event of a charity boxing card. Belanger weighed 181 pounds; Lomski 177.

Belanger outboxed Lomski, scoring most of his punches with a left to the neck and crossing a long, chopping right to the face. Lomski's famous right hand seldom came into play.

In the eighth and ninth rounds Lomski drove a right to Belanger's midsection, but could not stop the Canadian from boring in.

Teddy Slingsby Wins Vancouver New Year's Swim

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—Ted Slingsby of the Victoria Swimming Club yesterday won the annual Vancouver Sun one and one-half miles swim at English Bay. Slingsby's time was 43 minutes 28 seconds. Mrs. Connie Brinkhurst of Vancouver was second, fifteen seconds behind Slingsby. George Dricos of Vancouver was third.

HORSE RACING

Agua Caliente, Jan. 2.—Results of horse racing here, yesterday, follow:

First race—Six furlongs: 1, Atcasa, $13.40, $9.60, $5.20; 2, Woodside Belle, $7.20, $5.20; 3, Red Mountain, $5.40. Time, 1.13 3-5.

Second race—Six furlongs: 1, Miss Cheyenne, $5.20, $3.60, $2.80; 2, Little Effort, $5.80, $4.20; 3, Nick Carter, $4.20. Time, 1.13 2-5.

Third race—Quarter-mile: 1, Meadow King, $14.80, $8, $5.40; 2, I Say, $10.80, $4.80; 3, Marvina, $3.20. Time, .33 2-5.

Fourth race—Seven furlongs: 1, Bowcroft, $21.60, $6.60, $4; 2, Plata Real, $3, $2.60; 3, Fortunate Girl, $5.60. Time, 1.26 1-5.

Fifth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: 1, Star Prince, $6.40, $3.20, $2.40; 2, Sam Gilmore, $4, $2.20; 3, Jack Alexander, $2.20. Time, 1.46.

Sixth race—Five and one-half furlongs: 1, Up, $8.40, $4, $3.40; 2, Lamp Black, $3.60, $2.60; 3, Hey Diddle Diddle, $2.60. Time, 1.05.

Seventh race—Seven furlongs: 1, Oui Monsieur, $6.40, $4, $2.80; 2, Paragraph, $4.40, $3.60; 3, Subway Tube, $3.80. Time, 1.26 2-5.

Eighth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: 1, Omrah, $8.60, $4.40, $3; 2, Freight Clerk, $9.60, $5; 2, Golden Sweep, $2.60. Time, 1.17.

Whitney Stable Wins $385,972 For First Place

New York, Jan. 2—For the eighth time in twenty-seven years the honor of leading the American owners in the point of money won on the turf goes to the famous Eton blue and brown topped Whitney silks.

Paced by Equipose, one of the winter-book favorites to win the 1931 Kentucky Derby, the Whitney thoroughbreds led their fields home on 121 occasions to amass $385,972.

Gallant Fox's winnings of more than $300,000 boosted William Woodward's Abelair stud into second place with a total of $350,970.

George D. Widener, owner of Jamestown, the two-year-old champion, collected $241,642 to rank third.

North Shore Are Defeated 6 to 1

Vancouver, Jan. 2. — North Shore United's unbeaten record went by the boards with a bang yesterday at Con Jones's Park, when the youthful St. Saviours swamped them in a sea of mud and rammed six counters past Lindsay with one reply in the second semi-final game of the O. B. Allan Cup competition. The luckless team of the Pacific Coast League had a field day and peppered the goal through the second half, but a masterly display of goalkeeping by Lindsay saved the Reds time and time again.

A good crowd was present to swell the injured players' fund coffers.

Jack Melville And Mrs. Jackson Win Foursomes Event

In the mixed foursome competition at the Uplands Golf Club yesterday, Jack Melville and Mrs. E. Jackson were the winners with a gross score of 85, which their handicap of eight reduced to a net 77.

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Draw For Women's Golf at Uplands

The draw for the women's monthly medal contest at the Uplands Golf Club to-morrow is as follows:

Mrs. J. A. Cameron vs. Miss Archibald; Mrs. Nickson vs. Mrs. Sanders; Mrs. Ellis vs. Mrs. Jackson; Mrs. Boyd vs. Mrs. Semple; Mrs. Turnbull vs. Mrs. Rust, and Mrs. Dakers vs. Mrs. P. B. Elliott.

KEATING

A delightful evening was spent at the home of Mrs. J. J. Young on Monday evening when a number of her pupils took part in a recital. Games and contest swere greatly enjoyed following the recital. Tea was served by the hostess assisted by her pupils.

Three basketball games will be played in the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, this evening. Keating will oppose three Victoria teams, the Sons of Canada, Knights of Pythias and a girls' team. The first game will commence at 8 p.m.

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Shoulder Steak, lb., 15¢; Round Steak, lb. .....19¢
Oxford Sausage, lb., 11¢; Mince Steak, lb. .....13¢

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Shoulders, 5 to 7 lbs., lb., 18¢; Butts, meaty, lb. .....22¢
Loins, 2 to 4 lbs., lb., 25¢; Legs, 4 to 6 lbs., lb.....24¢
Pork Steaks, lb., 22¢; Loin Pork Chops, lb.....25¢

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Shoulders, lb., 13¢; Legs, whole, 7 to 9 lbs., lb.....21¢
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Prime Ribs, short, lb., 25¢; Sirloin Tip Roasts, lb.s...25¢
Shoulders Lamb, lb., 22¢; Legs Lamb, lb. .....32¢
Lamb Steaks, lb., 32¢; Lamb Stew, lb. .....15¢
Fillets of Pork, lb., 28¢; Loins of Pork, lb. .....29¢
Fresh Spare Ribs, lb., 22¢; Loin Pork Chops, lb. ....30¢
Roasting Chicken, lb., 38¢; Boiling Fowl, lb.....33¢

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Little Pig Pure Pork and Tomato Pork, lb.....25¢
Cambridge, lb., 23¢; Country Style, lb.....25¢

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French's Prepared Mustard, per jar .....10¢
C. & B. Sockeye Salmon, ½s, per tin .....20¢
Aylmer Chili Sauce, per bottle .....21¢
Van Camp's Pork and Beans, 2 tins for.....19¢
Del Monte Pilchards, 1s, per tin .....17¢
Bock Sardines, small tins .....5¢
Heinz Spaghetti and Cheese, per tin .....10¢
Libby's Peaches, 1s, per tin .....16¢
King-Beach Assorted Jams, 4s (excepting Strawberry and Blackcurrant), per tin .....45¢
Libby's Home-made Pickles, per jar .....25¢
Fresh Made Ginger Snaps, 2 lbs. for.....25¢
Fresh-made Fig-bar Biscuits, 2 lbs. for.....25¢
Stelna Corned Beef, 1s, per tin .....19¢
C. & B. Tomato Ketchup, per bottle .....19¢
Robin Hood Rapid Oats with China packet.....30¢
Eagle Lobster, ¼s, per tin .....16¢
Aylmer Golden Bantam Corn, 1s, per tin.....10¢
Mixed Nuts, per lb. .....19¢

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FLOOD OF CHEAP FURS LATEST SOVIET MENACE

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—The menace of a flooding of the markets of Canada with Russian furs, produced under the Soviet's "Five Year Plan" and under conditions of "virtual slavery," has prompted the Canadian Furriers' Guild to make representations to the Minister of National Revenue, Hon. E. B. Ryckman, looking toward measures designed to forestall the threat, according to F. D. Burkeholder of Ottawa, president of the Guild.

The furriers are asking for the imposition of a tariff on raw furs, with certain preferential clauses. So far there has not been much direct swamping of Canada with Soviet articles, although a large volume is entering this country through the United States, Mr. Burkeholder says.

The trade in Canada is being affected also by the actions of certain British furriers who, lending themselves as agents in London for those materials dumped into England, are re-exporting them to this country at a price with which the Canadian trade cannot compete, it is stated.

"There is a definite design on the part of the Soviets to destory the fur industry throughout the world," Mr. Burkholder said. "It is an established fact that in the London and European markets the Soviets are offering raw furs at prices considerably lower than those of Canadian furs, while at the same time they are selling manufactured and semi-manufactured articles at prices that are even lower than the raw materials. That is an impossible situation. In Russia the fur trade, like all other industries, is nationalized.

"While we in Canada have had to provide for the trapper, the collector and all the other agencies necessary to the maintenance of the industry, in Russia the furs are in the first place the property of the government. They are secured under conditions of virtual slavery. The collectors simply go through the country gathering them in, the initial costs being practically nothing.

"The Soviets have established factories which copy European and North American styles, and they are seeking to control not only the markets for pelts, but that also for manufactured goods.

"The competition is not fair competition," said Mr. Burkholder, "and it is against that we are protesting."

A meeting of the directors of the Canadian Furriers' Guild will be held in Toronto during the first week in January, at which a resolution will be drafted outlining the position of the trade and suggesting remedies for the consideration of the Government.

TWO HELD FOR FRAUD TRIAL

Mexico City, Jan. 2.—An echo of the Tom Brown case, exactly one year after the former Stratford, Ontario, mayor's disappearance, came to official ears to-day. Death claimed the man from Canada here last spring after a widespread search had failed to track down the fugitive whose flight was followed by charges he had taken $119,550 in securities belonging to clients.

To-day news reached Mexico City that Moses Rivalin and Sam Podorowsky, who were believed to be the men arrested for questioning in connection with Brown's death, had been arrested in British Honduras. According to the information received here, British Honduras will allow their extradition to Mexico, where they will face charges of swindling merchants out of more than 60,000 pesos.

Brown fell in with men named Rivalin and Podorowsky when he came here last January, and police believe they secured a considerable amount of his money.

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Salt Spring

Ganges, Jan. 2.—Mrs. Tyehurst and son of Victoria have returned home after spending the week-end at Ganges, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Scott, "Rockridge," Ganges Harbor.

Miss Tillie Akerman, of the staff of St. Joseph's Hospital, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Ackerman of Burgoyne Valley.

L. Simpson returned to Ganges on Monday after spending Christmas with friends at New Westminster.

Ted Borradaile was a visitor on the Island on Saturday evening, when he attended the dance at the White House, Fulford.

Derry Tye of Victoria was a guest at the birthday dance held at the White House Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jansen returned to Brentwood on Saturday after spending four or five days with Mrs. Jansen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rogers, in the Cranberry district.

Mrs. L. Peters arrived on Saturday from Seattle and will be the guest of her brother, W. Cearley, at Fulford Harbor for a few days.

Douglas Hamilton returned on Saturday to Bamberton after spending the Christmas holidays at Ganges Harbor.

Miss Evelyn Jackson has returned to Ganges from Fulford Harbor, where she was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Jackson, for a few days.

W. Coopsie has left for Vancouver after spending Christmas with relatives at Fulford Harbor.

An enjoyable dance was held at the White House, Fulford Harbor, on Saturday evening in honor of Raymond Morris's twenty-first birthday. The drawing room and dining room, which were used for dancing, were decorated in a color scheme of green and coral pink, and the centre of the supper table held a large three-tier birthday cake, trimmed with twenty-one candles. Madame Bertucci's orchestra from Victoria supplied the music for the dancing, which was kept up until the small hours. Among the invited guests were Dr. and Mrs. Rush, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Peter O'Flyn, Captain Macintosh, Mr. and Mrs. Tweedhope, the Misses Lois, Shirley and Bride Wilson, Diana, Doreen and Denise Crofton, Evelyn Jackson, Molly Akerman, Edna Morris, Betty Kingsbury, Gladys Borradaile, Nancy Elliott, Norah Turner, Ada Moffatt, Kathleen Dane, K. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. D. Layton, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wakelem, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Roberts, Messrs. P. Morris, Jim and Bob Akerman, W. and V. Douglas, K. Mollett, G. Jackson, D. and F. Crofton, P. Turner, G. Elliott, A. and B. Hepburn, D. Abbott, R. and C. Lee and others.

A very pleasant gathering met at Harbor House, Ganges, on the evening of Christmas day, at the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Crofton. After dinner, the evening was spent in dancing for the younger folk, the music for which was contributed by several of the guests, including Mrs. A. Eaton and Miss Shirley Wilson. Among the invited guests were N. W. Wilson and the Misses Lois, Shirley and Bride Wilson, Mrs. J. C. Kingsbury and Miss Betty Kingsbury, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Eaton, Ray Morris and Miss Edna Morris, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Roberts, Miss Gladys Borradaile, Miss Claire Wilson, Cecil Rudge, Ian Halley, Ted Borradaile, J. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. F. Speed, T. Gurney, Colin King and several others.

P. Turner returned from Vancouver to spend the holidays with his parents, Major and Mrs. F. C. Turner, at Ganges.

Jordan River

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Rough and family have returned to Jordan River after spending a day or two with relatives in Victoria.

Mrs. Cameron has returned to Victoria. For a few weeks she was staying here with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Johnston.

Mrs. Walker Sr., of Work Street, Victoria, was the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Walker, for a day or two recently.

Mrs. M. Scarfe of Victoria was staying here with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Johnston for a few days last week.

Miss Charlotte Scarfe of Victoria was the guest of honor of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. F. Sager, for a few days recently.

Arthur Tripp and some friends were visiting friends here on Saturday.

Miss E. Ritchie spent a day or two in Victoria last week.

Metchosin

The annual meeting of the Metchosin Women's Institute will be held on Wednesday, January 7, at 2.30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. A. B. Taylor. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected and matters of importance will be considered.

Mrs. Jonas gave a children's party Monday afternoon for her daughter Paula, whose school friends were invited and enjoyed games and a magic lantern show. Gay Christmas decorations were used and a snow man, who was later discovered to be hollow and to contain gifts for all those present. The guests were the Misses Stella and Sheila Pennington, Beth and Gwennie May Elwood, Mary Martin, Patsy Jane Towrie, Cecilia and Rosamund Milne and others.

The Metchosin Hall committee held an executive meeting on Saturday evening at the home of T. Barclay. It was decided to reroof the wood shed and build a porch at the back of the hall. The annual meeting will be held on January 12, at 8 p.m.

Garden City

The annual Christmas concert of the Garden City United Sunday School was given in the church on Tuesday evening to a large and appreciative audience. A good programme was presented, including a piano solo by Elsie Pryatt, candle drill by the tiny tots, duet, Misses Lillian Reid and Grace Brown; solo, Doreen Briggs; solo, Lillian Reid; solo, Jean Scott; drills and choruses by several classes, Christmas play by Mrs. Matheson's class; also a gym display by boys of the Douglas Street Baptist Church, for which a three-piece orchestra supplied the music.

Santa was introduced and presents were presented to each child, after which candies and oranges were distributed. Mr. James, superintendent of the school, acted as chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Drennan of Duncan and C. Drennan of Seattle spent Christmas with their father, J. Drennan, Grange Road.

James Island

Mr. and Mrs. William Rivers have returned from Vancouver, where they were guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sandwick, for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clegg spent Christmas with their sister, Mrs. Deakin, at New Westmister.

B. Carpenter and Art Fell have returned from Vancouver where they spent the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barrie and their children, Eva and Bobby, spent Christmas with Mr. Barrie's parents at Nanaimo.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Goldie were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gibson, Albany Road, Victoria.

Miss Joan Gould, Victoria, is the guest of Miss Pierce.

Mr. J. Herman has returned to his home in Nanaimo after visiting his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Kidd.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Doran and son have returned from Nanaimo where they spent Christmas with relatives.

J. Roper and W. Devlin spent Christmas with relatives at Nanaimo.

E. Dickinson has returned from Nanaimo where he spent the holidays with his family.

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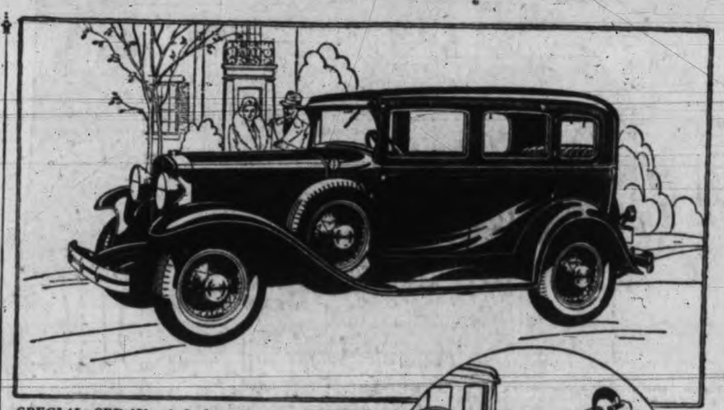
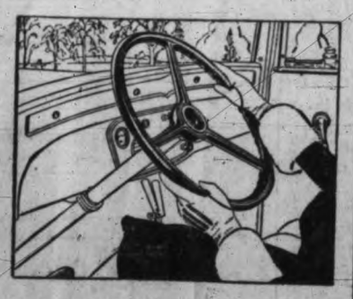


SPECIAL SEDAN—A de luxe car . . . six wire wheels, two in fender wells, and chrome-plated radiator grille standard equipment.

CHEVROLET TODAY General Motors and Chevrolet are proud to present a new Chevrolet Six. The new car has a lengthened, 109-inch wheelbase . . . added smartness . . . and many mechanical improvements. Yet it sells at new reduced prices . . . the lowest at which any Chevrolet has ever been introduced.

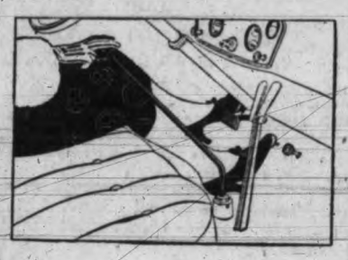
Working with the advantage of a lengthened wheelbase, Fisher craftsmen have been able to design streamline bodies that are far more graceful and beautiful than ever before. Exceptionally impressive is the front view of the car. The radiator has been redesigned . . . it is now deeper and has added distinction. There are new headlamps, resting on a smart tie-bar. De luxe wire wheels, finished in attractive harmonizing colors and with large chrome-plated hub caps, are now standard equipment on all models at no extra cost.



The new Fisher Bodies are larger and roomier. The handsomely upholstered interiors are wider and more comfortable. The driving compartment is insulated with thick, felt-like material on the dash and under the floor mat to lessen engine noise and keep the car warm in winter and cool in summer.

Of course, with the increase in wheelbase of the new Chevrolet, improvements have been made in the chassis. The frame is 50 per cent. stronger. The Lovejoy shock absorbers—front and rear—are more efficient. And there is a new, heavier front axle ensuring strength far beyond all ordinary needs.

An entirely new steering mechanism, of the worm and sector type, gives finger-tip control of the wheel in turning, parking and in heavy traffic. Chevrolet's four-wheel weatherproof brakes are



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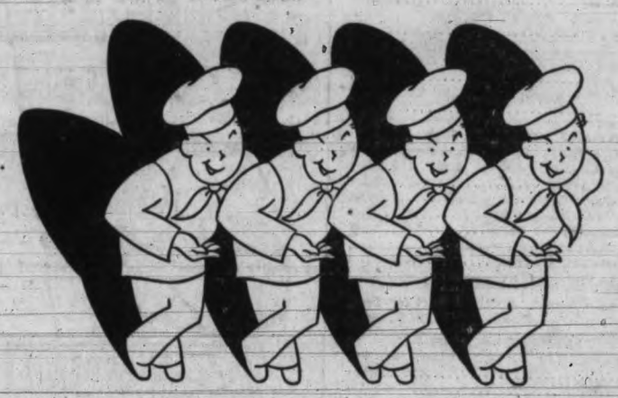

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No. 30-40s. Special, per lb. ....14¢
3 lbs. for ....40¢
No. 60-70s. Special, per lb. ....9¢
3 lbs. for ....25¢
Australian Evaporated Apricots. Special, per lb. ....17¢
3 lbs. for ....50¢
Fancy quality Broken Walnuts. Special, per lb. ....32¢

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Five Roses, Royal Household, Royal Standard, Robin Hood and Purity Flour at these special prices—
24-lb. sack. Special at ....95¢
49-lb. sack. Special at $1.82
98-lb. sack. Special at $3.57

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Plum, 4-lb. tin. Special at ....47¢
Strawberry, Peach, Apricot or Raspberry, 4-lb. tin. Special at ....57¢
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Quick Quaker Oats. Special, packet, 22¢
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Sea Cook Brand Fancy Red Salmon, flat tins. Special at 2 for ....25¢
French Sardines, large tins. Special at ..15¢
3 tins for ....50¢
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3 tins for ....32¢
Libby's Peaches, No. 2 tin. Special at..22¢
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Quaker Brand Tomatoes, No. 2½ tin. Extra special at ....14¢
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Iced Layer and Mocha Cakes, special, each 28¢

RICE CAKE
This is a delicious light plain Cake that will keep indefinitely. This Cake is made in our Bakery and is specially priced at, per lb. ....28¢
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Heinz Tomato Ketchup, large bottle. Special at ....23¢
Heinz Cream of Celery and Cream of Green Pea Soup, per tin ....19¢
3 tins for ....55¢

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Nice Juicy Oranges. Special 2 doz. for 25¢
Comb Honey, each ....32¢
Jamaica Oranges, per dozen....65¢
Bananas. Special, per basket....35¢
Sunkist Lemons, per dozen....17¢

Local Potatoes, per sack $1.68
Okanagan Cooking Onions, per sack, $2.75

Large Navel Oranges. Special at 18 for 50¢
Large Seedless Grapefruit. Special, each, 10¢

PROVISION SPECIALS
Finest quality New Zealand Butter. Special, per lb. ....38¢
3 lbs. for $1.10
Selected Creamery Butter. Special, lb., 36¢
3 lbs. for $1.05
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb....20¢
3 lbs. for....58¢
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3 lbs. for ....58¢
Domestic and Bakeasy Shortening. Special, per packet ....18¢
2 packets for....35¢

FRESH EGG SPECIALS
Local Fresh Pullet Extra Eggs. Special, per dozen ....33¢
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Selected Smoked Picnic Hams. Special, per lb. ....22¢
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HBC Quality Meats

RED RIBBON BEEF
Sirloin and T-bone Roast, per lb. ....33¢
Sirloin Tip and Aitch Bone Roast, per lb..30¢
Prime Rib and Rumps, per lb. ....25¢
Thick Rib, per lb. ....20¢
Pot Roast and Briskets, per lb. ....15¢

PORK
Legs, Loins and Fillets, per lb. ....33¢
Shoulders and Sides, per lb. ....22¢

MUTTON
Legs and Loins, per lb. ....35¢
Shoulders and Racks, per lb. ....18¢

LAMB
Legs, Loins and Fillets, per lb. ....40¢
Shoulders and Racks, per lb. ....22¢

VEAL
Fillets, centre cut, per lb. ....35¢
Rib Loins and Rumps, per lb. ....30¢
Shoulders, per lb. ....22¢

Carry and Save Meat Section

4,000 lbs. Beef, Lamb, Pork and Veal including thick rib, cross cuts, prime ribs, rumps, rolled roast, shoulders of veal, pork and lamb; also side pork. All at, per lb....**20c**

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250 Pieces Rayon Silk Lingerie

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150 Rayon Vests Bloomers, Bobettes and Panties

Values to $1.25
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79c

Clearing odd sizes, broken lines and colors in Rayon Panties, Vests, Bloomers and Bobettes. In pastel shades, tailored and lace-trimmed styles. Small, medium and large sizes.

150 Women's Importeed Wool Combinations at $1.95

Fine All-wool and Silk and Wool Flat-knit Combinations with ribbed arm and leg; also with built-up strap. Small, medium and large sizes. Sale price....$1.95

120 Women's Silk and Lisle Vests at 59c

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- 4-quart Tea Kettles
- 2-quart Double Boilers
- 6-cup Percolators
- Saucepan Sets, 1, 2 and 3-quart
- 14-quart Dish Pans
- 6-quart Potato Pots
- 5-quart Straight Saucepans
- Oven Baking Sheets

HBC GROCETERIA CARRY AND SAVE

Note These Special Week-end Values for Saturday

Orchard City Peas, 3 tins....25¢
B.C. Green Beans, 2 tins....23¢

Shredded Wheat, per packet ....10¢
Sliced Pineapple, No. 2 tin ....9¢

Sunlight Soap (limit 4 cartons), 2 cartons for .... 35¢

Mac's Best Tomatoes. (More in tin), 2 large tins for ....25¢
Royal City Pork and Beans. 2 tins for....19¢
Heinz' Ketchup, large bottle ....21¢
Black Currant Jam, Broder's, tin ....43¢

Cheese, finest Ontario Mild, per lb...24¢

Chateau and Carillon Cheese, per packet, 18¢
Tea Garden Syrup, 23-oz. jug ....20¢

H B C Golden Santos Coffee, freshly ground. 1,000 lbs. Per lb. ....29¢

Crisco, 1-lb. tin ....25¢
Libby's Fancy Prunes, 2-lb. carton ....19¢

Tea, No. 1 Ceylon Pekoe (limit 4 lbs.), per lb. .... 25¢

Blue Ribbon, Nabob, Jameson's Tea, per lb. ....44¢
3 lbs. for $1.30
Horseshoe Fancy Sockeye Salmon, per tin, 20¢
3 tins for ....58¢
Jell-O, 4 packets for ....25¢
Hudsonia Back Bacon. Sliced, per lb., 39¢
Economy Side Bacon. Sliced, per lb., 39¢

BUTTER—Best Quality Only
"Anchor" Fancy New Zealand, per lb., 36¢
3 lbs. for $1.05
"Imperial" No. 1 Creamery, per lb...34¢
3 lbs. for $1.00

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In Three Sizes
Half pints, price ....20¢
Pints .... 30¢
Quarts .... 49¢

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With serrated edge and of Sheffield steel. Special, each .... 39¢
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"Frost King" Weather Strip, all felt; packed in 22-ft. lengths. Special, per box..49¢
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Liquid Veneer Floor Mops
Regular $1.25, for 79c Each
With removable swab and complete with handle Special, each ....79¢

Kitchen Lighting Units
Large opal globe with white enamelled base. Complete. Special at....$1.29

The "Compeer" Beach Range
We are making a special offer of this Range with 18-inch oven, white enamelled warming closet and polished steel top at $59.50
$5.95 Cash. Balance in Deferred Payments if Desired
Waterfronts, $5.00 Extra

—Third Floor, HBC

800 Yards Spun Silk and Art Broche Silks

Nine o'Clock Special
Per Yard **34c**

Spun Silk in the following colors: Nile, pink, palm, maize, mauve, navy and ivory. Art Broche in maize, pirate and ivory. No phone orders, please.

—Main Floor, HBC

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Drastic Reductions in All

Merchandise must be turned into money in the quickest possible time so that stocks will had been for many years have been subjected to further drastic reductions for our Jan are offering

In Six Bargain Groups

Novelty models with capes, wrap-around effects, belted and unbelted styles in the latest lengths. Large collars trimmed with the finest and most fashionable furs and sleeves trimmed and untrimmed. Materials of broadcloth, suedine and new tweeds. All coats richly lined.

Values to $19.50 Marked down to .. **$11.95**
Values to $35.00 Marked down to .. **$17.95**
Values to $39.50 Marked down to .. **$21.95**
Values to $47.50 Marked down to .. **$27.95**
Values to $55.00 Marked down to .. **$34.95**
Values to $65.00 Marked down to .. **$44.75**

Afternoon Frocks in Canton and Flat Crepe

Values to $14.95, for $7.95

Misses' and Women's Frocks in the newest styles with flares and pleated skirts of medium length. There are novelty necklines and smart sleeves. Colors of brown, blue, wine, green and navy; also in black. Sizes 34 to 44.
January Sale **$7.95**

Glassware and China at Sale Prices

Table Glassware at 15c a Piece
Clear Glass Pickle Dishes, Celery Trays, Cream Jugs, Covered Butter Tubs and Measuring Cups. All at one price. Each....15¢

Cups and Saucers, Special at 6 for 49c
Plain White Cups and Saucers in tall shape and medium weight. Fine for kitchen use. Special, 6 for ....49¢

English Teapots, Special at 49c Each
English Rockingham Teapots in new and attractive shapes, in mottled brown with bands of blue and white. 5 and 6-cup sizes. Special, each .... 49¢

Water Tumblers, Special at 6 for 49c
Flanged-shape Water Tumblers in plain style. Medium weight and capacity; 7 ounces. Special, 6 for .... 49¢

Water Sets, Special at 98c
7-piece Glass Water Sets in clear but substantial glass. Each set consists of 6 glasses and 1 3-pint jug. Special ....98¢

—Third Floor, HBC

Special Sale of Small Silverware

Suitable for Bridge Prizes
This well-chosen collection includes: E.P.N.S. Bonbons, in assorted shapes on pedestal; Candlesticks in tall or low shape, boxed in pairs; Vases, boxed in pairs; Oval Dishes for candy, nuts, etc; Cake Plates, round with embossed design; Incense Burners.
Special at.... **95c**

—Main Floor, HBC

Girls' Coats Sale Priced

Tweed Coats at $14.95
Every one of our better quality Coats included in this special group. Fine imported wool tweed in smart Princess styles with mountain beaver, wolf, cross opossum and squirrel collars. All are nicely lined and interlined. Sizes for 12 to 15 years, Sale price $14.95

Broadcloth Coats at $18.95
All of our finest quality Broadcloth Coats out under this one low pricing for January Sale. Smart Princess styles of fine imported broadcloth with luxurious collars and cuffs of cross opossum, mountain beaver or squirrel. Broaded rayon lined and warmly interlined. In brown, mulberry, midnight, navy and black. Sizes for 10 to 15 years. Sale price..$18.95

—Second Floor, HBC

Girls' Odd School Frocks at $2.95

Odd Wool Jersey School Frocks in one and two-piece styles with kilted skirt. Some have bloomers to match. Sizes for 8, 10 and 12 years. Sale price $2.95

—Second Floor, HBC

Sale Prices in the Drug Section

Giant Toilet Tissue, regular 10c; 12 for 79
Hind's Honey and Almond Cream, regular 50 for 43
Vick's Vapo Rub, regular 50c....43
Liquid Petrolatum, 16-oz., regular 75c....39
Epsom Salts, 1 lb., regular 15c....9
Olive Oil, Italian, 8-oz., regular 50c....39
Oil Eucalyptus, regular 25c 19
Tincture of Iodine, regular 25c....19
Camphorated Oil, regular 25c 19
Kruschen Salts, regular 75c 69
Vaseline, yellow, regular 10c 8
Kolynos Tooth Paste, regular 50c 44
2½ lbs. Malt Extract 59
Hot Water Bottles, regular $1.25....89
H B C Malt and Cod Liver Oil, regular $1.5 for $1.2
Palmolive Soap, regular 10c; 6 for 43

SATURDAY A.M. SPECIAL
Kotex .... 39¢
On Sale Only From 9 to 1 o'Clock

—Main Floor, HB

Saturday's Candy Special

Bottomley's Devon Cream Toffee, special, p lb. 50
Broken lines in English Chocolates, includi Cadbury's, Fry's and Terry's, special, per lb at 60
Brazil Chocolate, special, per lb....57
Fancy Satin-finished Mixtures, special, per lb at 17
Rochon's Peanut Brittle, special, per lb..25
Pascall's Candy Butcher and Fruit Store reegular 50c, $1.00 and $1.25, all ...Half Pric

—Main Floor, HB

January Bargains in Furniture

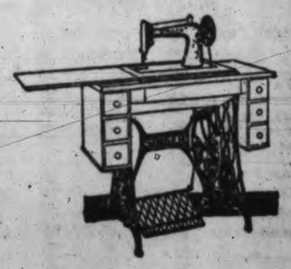
Three-piece Chesterfield es, $99.5
Mohair Suites, consisting of Chesterfield an two large overstuffed Chairs with loose sprin cushioned seats, covered one side in figure velours. Complete $99.5
$9.95 Down—Balance Monthly

Chesterfields at $59.50
Small-sized Chesterfields of our own mak Complete with washable cretonne slip cove Sale price $59.5
$5.95 Down—Balance Monthly

Large Library Tables at $25.00
In walnut or mahogany, finely made with tw drawers. These are handsome and convenien writing tables. Regular $37.50. January Sa price $25.0
$2.50 Down—Balance Monthly

Bedroom Suites at $99.50
Five-piece Suites in walnut. Dresser, chi fonier, vanity, bed and chair. Complet at $99.5
$9.95 Down—Balance Monthly

—Fourth Floor, HB



January Clearance of Used Sewing Machines

Reconditioned and Guaranteed
One Wheeler and Wilson Drophea at $15.0
One White Drophead $17.0
One Singer Drophead $18.0
One Singer Drophead $21.0
One Singer Portable Electric, $62.0
One White Portable Electric, $59.0
Terms—$2.00 Down—Balance Easy

—Second Floor, HB

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Women's Fabric Gloves

Nine o'Clock Saturday a.m. 39c

With novelty turn-back cuffs, self-embroidered points, one dome-fastener and in a good range of colors. Sizes 6 to 8.

—Lower Main Floor, HBC

Departments of the Store

at their minimum before we take inventory. Prices which were already lower than they r clearance. It will pay you to anticipate your needs for weeks to come. All departments arkable bargains.

500 Yards Fine Wool and Printed Rayon Fabrics

Values to $1.50 a Yard, Sale Priced at 88c

Choose from 36-inch Printed Rayons in many colorful patterns, 36-inch Printed Wool Delaines, 36-inch light weight Tweeds in multicolored stripe effects. January Sale, per yard ..... 88¢

100 Lengths of Tweed Coatings

Regular $11.95, at $8.95 Each

In the new loose weave that is so popular. Smart plaid and check effects. A saving of $3.00 on every length. January Sale, each $8.95

200 Yards Dress and Coating Fabrics

Values to $2.95 for $1.69 a Yd.

Including novelty wool Jerseys, Lace Cloths, Novelty Silk and Wool Crepes, Wool Taffetas and Tweeds. You cannot afford to miss this opportunity. January Sale, Per yard $1.69

1,000 Yards Fine Wash Fabrics

At 29c a Yard

Choose from 36-inch Novelty Prints, 31-inch Printed Crepes, 36-inch Foulards, 31-inch Shirtings, 36-inch Printed Broadcloths, 36-inch Dimities and Printed Batistes. January Sale, per yard 29c

400 Yards Fine Dress Silks

Values to $3.95 for $1.98 a Yard

Including heavy Flat Silk Crepes, Crepe Satins and Silk Cantons woven from pure silk yarns—NOT artificial. There is a good range of colors including reseda, maize, pink, brown, sand, orchid, navy, royal, emerald, Monet, purple and black. January Sale, Per yard $1.98

150 Yards Black Duchess Satins and Taffetas

Values to $2.50 for $1.69 a Yd.

Of superbly rich texture and lustrous finish. Correct weight for dresses. January Sale, Per yard $1.69

All Millinery Regrouped and Repriced

10 Model Hats

Very exclusive, regular prices to $22.50, reduced to $7.50

Felts and Soleiels

Of very best quality, all colors and many styles. Regular to $15.00, reduced to $5.95

Felts, Velvets, Satins and Combinations

Of newest materials. All winter colors. Regular to $12.50. Reduced to $3.95

Novelty Berettes and Close-fitting Hats

In velvet or chenille. Regular to $7.50. Reduced to $2.95

Felts for Misses, Women and Children

To clear at $1.00

Brush Wool Berets

Reduced to ..... 95¢

—Second Floor, HBC

Big Savings in Household Staples

Save $7.00 on a Comforter

With floral satin centres and satin panels in contrasting colors. This combination makes a beautiful Comforter and it is extra well filled with fine down. Save $7.00 on Saturday. Regular $35.00. Sale price .. $28.00

50 Pairs Pure Wool Witney Blankets, at $13.95 a Pair

Size 72x92 inches and weight 9 lbs. These Witney Blankets are famed for their hard wearing qualities and at this new low price are exceptional value. Finished with blue borders. January Sale, per pair $13.95

300 Pairs Pillow Cases At 69c a Pair

42 and 44-inch sizes. Made from a fine linen-finished cotton that will give splendid wear. January Sale, per pair ..... 69¢

200 Pairs Plain Hem and Hemstitched Sheets

In all wanted sizes and at new low prices. Made longer than the ordinary sheets and in a quality that we can recommend for hard wear and good laundering qualities.

Plain Hem—
63x99 inches. Per pair $3.65
80x99 inches. Per pair $4.50
90x108 inches. Per pair $5.50

Hemstitched—
70x99 inches. Per pair $4.50
80x99 inches. Per pair $4.98
90x108 inches. Per pair $5.85

Colored Sheet and Pillow Case Sets

Values to $11.50 for $4.98 a Set

Set consists of one pair Sheets and one pair Pillow Cases to match. Plain hem or hemstitched. Colors are blue and mauve. Sizes 72x108 and 80x108 inches. January Sale, per set $4.98

Colored Borders Hemstitched Pillow Cases

Regular $1.50 and $1.95 For 98c a Pair

Fine textured Pillow Cases with plain colored and printed borders. Size 44x36 inches. January Sale, per pair ..... 98¢

200 White Turkish Bath Towels At 49c Each

Size 24x48 inches. Soft, spongy Bath Towels of a good drying and wearing quality. January Sale, each, 49¢

100 Large Size Crib Blankets Regular $1.75 for $1.10 Each

Note the size—36x54 inches. Cosy Blankets in pink and blue. Made from thick, soft, lofty yarns. January Sale, each $1.19

50 Novelty Satin-bound Blankets, at $6.50 Each

Size 60x80 inches. In soft pastel colorings of rose, blue, green and gold. A wonderful value. January Sale, each $6.50

500 Colored Turkish Towels At 25c Each

A wonderful value in multicolored stripe effects. Approximate size 21x44 inches. January Sale, each .... 25¢

25 Colored Linen Damask Sets Regular $6.50 for $4.98

Cloth 54x54 inches and 6 napkins in a fine textured linen damask in shades of green, mauve and rose. A splendid value. January Sale, per set $4.98

Special Purchase of Linen Damask Table Cloths

One-third off Regular Price

These have slight imperfections in them but not enough to affect the wear. All wanted sizes and priced from ..... $1.39 to $4.50

—Main Floor, HBC

Real Leather and Silk Handbags

At $1.00 Each

There are grouped in this lot—real leather and silk Handbags in pouch shape and also in back-strap styles. Colors in leather are grey, brown, red or black and in silk are peach, Nile, mauve, blue and rose. Regular to $3.25. January Sale, each, $1.00

—Main Floor, HBC

Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose

At $1.39 a Pair

Semi-service or chiffon in best Canadian makes. Choose from square, French or pointed heels. We have a good range of wanted colors and all sizes, 8½ to 10. January Sale, per pair $1.39

—Main Floor, HBC

Boys' and Girls' Golf Hose at 69c a Pair

English-made All-wool Ribbed Hose with fancy turn-down tops. They have spliced heels and toes to strengthen the wearing parts. Choose from heather mixtures, grey mixtures, Lovat mixtures and tans. Sizes 7 to 9½. January Sale, per pair, 69¢

2 Pairs for $1.35

—Main Floor, HBC

Coffee Shoppe Service

Special Plate Luncheon, Served Each Day From 11 to 2 p.m.

35c

SATURDAY'S MENU

Beef Steak and Kidney Pie
Turkey Cutlets and Green Peas
With Roll and Butter
Mashed Potatoes and Vegetables
Apple, Raisin or Mince Pie
Tea, Coffee, Milk

Lower Main Floor, HBC

Men's Furnishings at Sale Prices

Men's Fine Shirts at $1.00

Separate collar or collar-attached styles in plain white, cream or blue; also fancy stripes. A well-made Shirt at a low price. All sizes available but the quantity is limited. January Sale, each $1.00

Clearing Smart Mufflers, at 50c

The smart reefer shape in all wool or knit rayon, in all shades and checks; also fugi silk in white and white with black figures. A real clearing line in Scarves. Regular 75c to $1.00. January Sale, each ..... 50¢

Men's Warm Flannelette Nightshirts

Soft, cosy flannelette in neat stripes, in a big full-cut comfortable night garment. Made with V neck and pocket. All sizes, 16 to 18. January Sale, each, $1.49

Brown Leather Coats for $7.95

A strong suede-finish cowhide in dark brown that will give the most wear. Lined with wool tweed, making a warm coat for winter wear. Regular $10.00. All sizes. January Sale $7.95

—Main Floor, HBC

January Clearance Sales

Bargains in Men's Overcoats

Regular $50.00 and $60.00

Marked Down to

39.50

Fine overcoating cloths of chinchilla, Meltons, Scotch tweeds, Barrymore and Velours. Smart single and double-breasted styles, with plain or Raglan sleeves. Sizes 35 to 44.

Regular $75.00 and $85.00

Marked Down to

49.50

Carr's Elysiums and Llama Pile Overcoats. All hand tailored, with half lining of superfine satin.

Men's Suits

One and Two Pairs of Pants

Values to $35.00
Marked Down to $24.50

Fine worsteds and tweeds, in medium and dark shades of brown, grey and blue. All-wool cloths, tailored in smart styles to fit men of regular, tall, medium or portly build. Garments that you would expect to pay a great deal more for. Sizes 35 to 46.

—Main Floor, HBC

The Last Day Before School

Special Bargains in Boys' Clothing

Boys' Gradster Overcoats

Values to $25.00
Marked Down to $18.95

High-grade Overcoats tailored on the same lines as young men's—the lines that boys desire so much. Smart double breasted styles with half belt or plain back. Blue chinchillas and fancy tweeds. Sizes 29 to 36.

Regular $10.95
Marked Down to $8.95

Tailored from all pure wool tweed overcoating cloth in smart double-breasted style with half belt. Plain and fancy grey, brown and Lovat patterns to choose from. Sizes for 14 to 18 years.

Boys' Mackinaws

Regular $4.95
Marked Down to $3.95

Tailored from all pure wool fancy overplaid mackinaw cloth—windproof and weatherproof. Made Norfolk style, with belt and shawl collar. Sizes 25 to 36. Regular $4.95, for $3.95

Boys' First Long Suits at $9.95

Smart single and double-breasted styles and well tailored from fancy tweeds, in grey, brown, fancy mixture patterns and blue serges. All pure wool. Sizes 29 to 36.

Boys' Reefer Coats at $4.95

Smart double-breasted reefer style, with all-wool red lining. Tailored from a fine quality blue chinchilla and finished with all-wool red lining. Sizes for 4 to 11 years.

Boys' First Longs at $1.95 a Pair

Tailored from all-wool durable tweeds and serges, in grey, brown, blue and fancy mixture patterns. Finished with five pockets, belt loops and cuff bottoms. Sizes 26 to 32.

Boys' Two-knicker Suits at $7.95

Blue serges, grey and brown tweeds, all pure wool. Tailored in smart single and double-breasted styles. Lined throughout and finished with extra strong pockets. Sizes for 6 to 14 years.

Boys' Knickers at 95c

Fancy all-wool tweeds, in grey, brown and fancy mixtures; also blue serges. Fully lined and finished with belt loops and three pockets. Sizes for 4 to 14 years. Values to $1.50.

—Main Floor, HBC

RADIOS

At Clearance Prices

ELECTRIC SETS

Sonora Lowboy—Screen-grid, full dynamic, less than half price .. $119.00
Rogers—Combination, Highboy design, at $119.00
Dictator — Highboy, sliding doors, at $98.00
Victor Combination, was $375.00, now, for $265.00

Easy Terms Arranged

BATTERY SETS

Westinghouse, 3-tube, stripped, $3.00
Dayton, 6-tube, stripped $19.00
Crosley, 3-tube, stripped $7.50
Radiola, 4-tube, stripped $7.50
No name, 6-tube, stripped $7.50
No name, 4-tube, stripped $8.50

—Third Floor, HBC

PIANOS

At Clearance Prices

Gavean, French make, studio size; good condition, for $95.00
Canada, exceptional condition and tone, for $195.00
Mendelssohn, this piano is well worthy of your consideration, for $195.00
Gerhard Heintzman, this well-known make needs no introduction, for $295.00
Any of the above may be purchased on our special Deferred Payment Plan—$10.00 Down; $10.00 Monthly

—Third Floor, HBC

Window Furnishings at Sale Prices

Green Opaque Window Shades at 69c Each

Green Window Shades, 37 inches by 6 feet, complete with brackets and mounted on serviceable spring rollers. January Sale, each, at ..... 69¢

Ruffle Curtains at 69c a Pair

Dainty Fine Ruffle Curtains with colored ruffles and tie-backs. 2¼ yards long. In rose, blue, gold, etc. 100 pairs at this price. January Sale, per pair ..... 69¢

Rayon Drapery Silks at 59c a Yard

Plain or shot effects in this wide width silk—and in a vast selection of colors and beautiful quality. Width 46 inches. January Sale, per yard ..... 59¢

Casement Cloths Values to 85c, for 59c

Fast-color Casement Cloth in many colors. Width 50 inches. An extraordinary value. January Sale, per yard ..... 59¢

1,000 Brass Curtain Rods

To fit the average window—these Rods extend to 54 inches. Complete with hooks. January Sale 2 for ..... 25¢

500 Yards Shadow Cloth for 39c Yard

Warp Printed Shadow Cloth on light or dark grounds. Width 30 inches. January Sale, per yard ..... 39¢

—Third Floor, HBC

Barrymore Wilton Rugs to Clear

A good sturdy weave in rich colorings, with designs appropriate for dining-rooms, living-rooms, den or hall—

Size 6.9x9.0. Regular $39.50. January Sale price $33.75
Size 9.0x9.0. Regular $53.50. January Sale price $45.00
Size 9.0x10.6. Regular $59.50. January Sale price $49.50
Size 9.0x12.0. Regular $67.50. January Sale price $57.50

300 REVERSIBLE WOOL RUGS

Very useful for bed side, landings, halls and many other places in the home. Finished in hit-and-miss effects.
All colors 98c

No Phone Orders, Please

—Third Floor, HBC

Imported and Dominion Inlaid Linoleum

Reg. $1.55 Per Sq. Yard
Marked Down to $1.25

Our entire stock of Dominion Inlaid Linoleum, regularly sold at $1.55 a square yard, is included in this assortment, together with a large range of English and Scottish makes. Large and small designs in floral, tile and modernistic effects and in colors to suit any color scheme desired. A splendid opportunity to get your floors covered with the higher-grade quality at low cost. Bring the sizes of your rooms or we will send a man to measure for you. Estimates frees. January Sale bargain.

100 COCOA DOOR MATS

Size 14x24 inches.
Strong, durable make 45c

—Third Floor, HBC

Silk and Wool Sports Frocks

A special purchase of smart little everyday Frocks of silk and wool mixtures in new bright and subdued colors. These are smartly trimmed with touches of contrasting color and have new collars or are collarless. Sizes 16 to 40. Special

$4.95

—Second Floor, HBC

Personal and Societies

Kirkham's Money Savers

Start Right—Have Your Goods Delivered at Carry Prices

Nabob or Blue Ribbon Tea, lb., 44¢; 3 lbs. for.....$1.30

Orchard City Tomatoes 2 largest tins for.....25¢
Royal City Super Six Delicious Peas, 3 tins for.....44¢
Reception Pure Strawberry Jam 4-lb. tins .....49¢
Heinz Pure Tomato Ketchup Large bottles .....23¢
Nabob Jelly Powders 5 packets for .....25¢
Wild Rose Pastry Flour 10-lb. sacks .....43¢
Durham Cornstarch 2 packets for .....19¢
Robin Hood Rapid Oats Regular 25c carton .....19¢

Preserved Red Plums, choice table fruit, 3 tins for.....29¢

Furoca, the finest crab meat packed, ½-lb. tin .....29¢
Eagle Lobster, ¼-lb tin....19¢
Desiccated Cocoanut 2 lbs. for .....25¢
Millionaire Club Tiny Sardines 2 tins .....29¢
Quaker Corn, 2 tins.....25¢
No. 1 Jap Rice, 3 lbs.....19¢
Large Prunes 30-40 size, 2 lbs. for....25¢
Braid's or Malkin's Best Coffee 1-lb. tins .....46¢

Gold Dust Washing Powder 2 large cartons .....55¢
Household Ammonia Large bottles, 2 for.....25¢

Rich Assorted Biscuits, strictly fresh, regular 35c lb., for..25¢

Ormond's Cream Crackers Large packet .....18¢
Turkish Delight, fresh made, regular 35c lb., for.....25¢

Peek, Frean's Pagoda Biscuits Fancy asorted, per pkt., 25¢
Scotch Pepermints Extra special, per lb.....19¢

Ganong's High-grade Chocolates Regular $1.00 box.....75¢
Jelly Beans, extra special, per lb. .....19¢

Sweet Navel Oranges— Dozen, 19¢; 3 dzoen....53¢ Dozen, 35¢; 3 dozen....95¢
Seedless Grapefruit, 6 for 25¢

Nice Juicy Lemons, doz....15¢
Fine Greening Apples 5 lbs. for .....25¢
New Comb Honey, each....25¢
New Smyrna Figs, lb.....20¢
New Brazil Nuts, lb. .....20¢
Fresh Rhubarb, bunch ....15¢
California Cluster Raisins Per box .....17¢
Fresh Dates, 3 lbs.....25¢
New Mixed Nuts, lb. .....22¢
Florida Grapefruit Each, 20¢ and .....15¢

Jonathan and Baldwin Apples Per box $1.48
Good Local Potatoes 11 lbs. for .....25¢ Per sack $1.85

Fresh Head Lettuce Each .....10¢
Fresh Celery, 15¢ and....10¢
Fresh Savoy Cabbage, each 10¢
Fresh Swede Turnips 10 lbs. for .....25¢
Fresh Cauliflower Each, 25¢ and .....15¢
Fresh Carrots, 7 lbs. for...15¢

Finest Selected Creamery Butter Per lb. .....38¢ 3 lbs. for.....$1.12
Extra Choice New Zealand Creamery Butter, lb.....37¢ 3 lbs. for.....$1.05

Mild Sugar - cured Breakfast Bacon (piece cut), lb....35¢
Picnic Hams, per lb. .....20¢
Cottage Rolls, per lb. ....30¢
Extra Choice Home-cooked Ham Sliced, per lb. .....50¢
Veal Loaf, sliced, per lb...30¢
Very Mild Cheese, lb.....24¢
Domestic Shortening, 2 lbs. 35¢
Peanut Butter, per lb. ....15¢
Imported Gorgonzola Cheese Per lb. .....45¢
Home-cooked Corned Beef Sliced, per lb. .....25¢

Carillon, Chateau or Kraft Cheese, ½-lb. package.....19¢

Fresh-killed Turkeys, 8 to 12 lbs., per lb.....35¢
Boiling Fowl, lb. .....25¢
Roasting Chicken, lb.....38¢

New South Wales Lamb
Shoulders, lb. .....18¢
Loins, lb. .....25¢
Legs, lb. .....28¢
Young N.S.W. Mutton—
Shoulders, lb. .....13¢
Loins, lb. .....15¢
Legs, lb. .....22¢
Large Rabbits, each .....45¢
Shoulder Veal, lb. .....17¢
Beef Sausage, 2 lbs.....25¢
Grain-fed Pork—
Shoulders, lb. .....17¢
Loins, lb. .....25¢
Legs, lb. .....23¢
Pure Pork Sausage 2 lbs. for .....45¢
Choice Quality Beef—
Pot Roasts, lb. .....13¢
Boiling Beef, lb. .....11¢
Prime Ribs, lb. .....22¢
Rolled Roasts, lb. .....25¢
Stewing Lamb, 2 lbs.....25¢

Large Eastern Haddie Per lb. .....18¢
Fresh Filleted Cod 2 lbs. for .....35¢

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MRS. C. E. HODGSON FIRST BRIDE OF NEW YEAR HERE

Pretty Wedding Solemnized By Rev. Robert Connell Yesterday Evening

Miss Ruth Tripp Married to Clifford Edward Hodgson

The first wedding to take place in Victoria in 1931 was solemnized yesterday evening at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, when Rev. Robert Connell united in marriage Ruth Marguerite Ethelwynn, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Tripp, 1774 Denman Street, and Mr. Clifford Edward Hodgson, only son of the late Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Hodgson.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and made a fascinating picture in her wedding gown of oyster satin, fashioned with sleeveless bodice ruched at the sides and in front, and with a long full skirt, touching the floor. The conventional wedding veil was of soft embroidered silk net, and was worn in cap-shape and held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses, carnations and orchids.

She was attended by her sister, Mrs. R. C. McBurnie of Seattle, who, as matron of honor, wore a smart frock of rose chiffon, fashioned with long-sleeved bodice, with poke of white chiffon inset and studded with brilliants. Her hat was of cream silk mohair trimmed with a large bow of satin ribbon to match the color of her gown. She carried a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses and pink and white carnations.

Little Miss Joanne McBurnie, of Seattle, niece of the bride, made a dainty flower girl, in a short hand-made frock of pale pink and pale green georgette. Her basket was filled with roses and carnations.

The groom was supported by Mr. R. G. McBurnie of Seattle.

Mr. F. T. Wickett presided at the organ and played the wedding music.

SMALL RECEPTION

Following the ceremony at the church a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where only the immediate relatives of the bride were present.

The supper table was attractive in a color scheme of pink and white. A handsome five-tier wedding cake was arranged on a side table.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodgson left for Portland, Ore., and on their return will make their home at Chesterlea, North Quadra Street.

For traveling the bride wore a frock of orchid crepe de Chine, trimmed with a V-yoke of ecrue lace. The wore a hat of chenille and French sealskin coat.

Mrs. Tripp, mother of the bride, was smartly gowned in blue georgette and lace, with which she wore a hat of Burgundy chenille.

Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. R. G. McBurnie of Seattle and Mr. and Mrs. Harry McBurnie of Seattle.

STUDENTS CLAIM RIGHT TO SMOKE

Boston Girls Organize Against Anti-smoking League

Boston, Mass., Jaan. 2.—Organizing the Women's Independence League, dedicated to a defence of women's right to smoke cigarettes, girls in the Museum of Fine Arts School, one of the largest institutions of its kind in the country, have initiated a battle against the newly - formed Anti - Smoking League for Women.

The new organization has not as yet caused any alarm at Wellesley and other girls' colleges. Mrs. Mary C. Young, dean of residence at Wellesley, issued a statement saying:

"Out here at Wellesley the smokers have made their regulations. They may smoke in Alumnae Hall, on the shores of Lake Waban and in village tea rooms, though not in dormitories nor on the streets. The non-smokers are not bothered, so all are satisfied. We do not believe any moral question is involved, or any morals. It is simply a matter of individual taste. It seems to us that a league to stop women from smoking is too officious."

Similar opinions were expressed at Radcliffe, Smith College and other educational institutions for girls.

Mrs. K. Beck Weds William Loughlin

Mrs. K. Beck and Mr. William Loughlin were united in marriage at the home of Mr. Clifford Kennedy yesterday evening. Rev. A. de B. Owen officiated. Mrs. Molly McVie attended the bride, Mr. Clifford Kennedy, a brother of the bride, supported the groom.

Following the service, the guests proceeded to 1330 Government Street, where the bride and groom received the congratulations of many friends.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Lang, Mr. and Mrs. Latham, Mr. and Mrs. Mair, Mr. and Mrs. Bogett, Mrs. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. McVie, Mr. and Mrs. Moorish, Miss McVie, Miss H. Beck, Mr. McMillan, Mr. C. Kennedy, Mrs. Arthur Beadle, Master A. Beadle and Master E. B. Beadle. Following a short honeymoon trip on the Island, Mr. and Mrs. Loughlin will make their home at 913 Green Street.

Widow of Primate Reported Very Ill

London, Jan. 2 (By Thomas T. Champion, Canadian Press staff correspondent).—Mrs. Ada Travers Lewis, widow of the Archbishop of Ontario, Primate and Metropolitan of Canada, is seriously ill.

A CHARMING DEBUTANTE

—Photo by Steffens-Colmer

Miss Kathleen Hall, youngest daughter of Mrs. Richard Hall, 906 Linden Avenue, who made her debut at the New Year's Eve ball at the Empress Hotel Wednesday evening and at a dinner party given in her honor prior to the ball by her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thornley Hall, at "Thorwyn," Rockland Avenue. Covers were laid for twelve at a table decorated in a color scheme of silver, pink and green. The floral decorations were pale pink rosebuds. The novel centre-piece was a large silver sphere, typifying the universe, on which was perched the New Year in the shape of a diminutive kewpie seated in a silver and jade gauze airplane. Pale pink ribbons fell from the electrolier to each corner of the table.

Miss Hall wore a beautiful New York model gown of eggshell crepe satin, trimmed with a huge jade green bow on the right hip. Jade green slippers in matching material, adorned with French paste buckles, and a shoulder bouquet of Mme. Butterfly roses, freesias and maidenhair fern completed her toilette.

Mrs. R. Thornley Hall was smart in a French model creation of gold sequins bordered with ruby crepe embroidered in gold, with which she wore French sandals in a gold kid and suede combination, finished with a ruby buckle, and a shoulder bouquet of red roses to tone.

Society

Miss Margaret Grute left the city on New Year's Eve to spend a short holiday with friends in Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bucklin have removed from Victoria Avenue to Major C. R. Hay's home on Moss Street.

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Miss Judge, of Vancouver, is visiting in Victoria and is the guest of Major and Mrs. Holden, Linden Avenue.

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Mrs. Laura Lewin has removed to the Stobart-Pease Block from the Hibben-Bone Block, Government Street.

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Mrs. English, of New Westminster, is visiting in Victoria as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Fraser, St. Charles Street.

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Miss Ruth Sherman, of Vancouver, arrived in Victoria this afternoon and is the guest of Miss Eileen Tomlin Woodley Road.

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After spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. B. H. T. Drake, Belmont Avenue, Miss Mary Thomas returned to Quamichan Lake to-day.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. W. E. Gregory left on Wednesday afternoon's boat for Everett, where they were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Ames on New Year.

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Mrs. Fred McGregor entertained on Tuesday afternoon at her home on Granite Street at a largely-attended tea party in honor of her daughter, Miss Doreen McGregor.

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Rev. Canon and Mrs. J. W. Flinton arrived from Courtenay yesterday to spend a few days as guestts of their daughter, Mrs. F. J. Merriman, before returning to Salt Spring Island.

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The Misses Christy and Alice Semmes, who have been spending their Christmas holidays in Victoria with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Semmes, the Uplands, will leave on Sunday for Oakland, California, to resume their studies at Mills College.

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Mrs. Henry Lorden, Wilson Street, has had as Christmas holiday guests her daughter, Mrs. E. Pitman, of Nanaimo, and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lorden, of Seattle.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Tufts and their daughter, Miss Evelyn Tufts, of Vancouver, are spending the New Year holiday in the city and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Terry, Transit Road.

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Mr. Roger Wilson, who has been staying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, during the last two weeks, left yesterday for Vancouver, en route to Montreal to resume his medical studies at McGill University.

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Mrs. E. S. G. Dottridge and her daughter, Annette, left this afternoon for Seattle, en route to their home in London, Mrs. and Miss Dottridge left England last May and have spent much of their time with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilson, the Uplands.

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Dr. and Mrs. James McFadden, Mr. and Mrs. James McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. William Mitchell and Miss D. Mitchell were among the Port Angeles people who came over to the city on Wednesday afternoon to attend the ball at the Empress Hotel on New Year's Eve.

Mrs. M. A. Cullin will celebrate her ninetieth birthday on Sunday, and will be at home and pleased to meet her friends at the residence of her son, Mr. W. H. Cullin, 144 Wellington Avenue, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

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Mr. W. J. Bowser, Terrace Avenue, accompanied by his niece, Miss Gladys Irving, will leave Victoria shortly for New York, from where he will sail for Spain for a trip through Europe.

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Miss Marion Sproule, of Vancouver, has returned to her home on the Mainland after spending the holidays in Victoria as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. B. Dickson, St. Patrick Street, Oak Bay.

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Mr. Blair Dickson, after spending the Christmas holidays in Victoria as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. B. Dickson, St. Patrick Street, Oak Bay, left for Prince George where he has accepted a position on the teaching staff of the High School.

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Mrs. J. W. Ballantine, nee Josephine Wilson, arrived in the city late Tuesday after an extended trip to Great Britain, and will shortly take up her residence at 227 Ontario Street. Mr. Ballantine, who is at present with the Prince Robert, enroute from Boston to the West Indies, is expected back here early in May.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. McGregor, Granite Street, have returned to Victoria from Vancouver, where they attended the banquet at the Hotel Vancouver, tendered William J. Twiss, who has retired as district manager of the Mutual Life Assurance Company after thirty years' association with the company.

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Members of the Victoria Operatic Society will meet members of the cast for the opera "Boccaccio" following the rehearsal on Wednesday evening at the Russian Ballet School, Broughton Street. In view of the interest the presentation is arousing in the city, a large number is expected to attend the event. Coffee will be served at 10 o'clock.

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A quiet marriage was solemnized at the home of Rev. Daniel Walker, 1133 Rockland Avenue, on Wednesday, when Lillie Jackson was united in marriage to Mr. John Cheeley Joyce, the bride was attended by Miss Kate Walch and the bridegroom by Mr. William Jackson, a brother of the bride. After the honeymoo nthe young couple will make their home in Victoria.

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Mrs. E. Crow Baker was "At Home" yesterday afternoon at "Sissinghurst," Gorge Road, to a number of her friends, among whom were included: Colonel and Mrs. A. W. Jones, Captain and Mrs. J. W. Troup, Colonel Colquhoun, Major Chamber, Major and Mrs. W. Merston, Major and Mrs. MacDougall, Mr. and Mrs. Alec Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Winslow, Mr. W. R. Lanigan, Mrs. E. B. McCallum of Regina, Major and Mrs. Holden, Miss Judge of Vancouver, Mr. A. E. Scott, Mr. R. P. Taylor, Mr. J. A. Sayward, Mr. Paul Carrier, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. D. Pemberton, Mrs. Glen Holland, Miss Newcombe, Mr. and Mrs. Storer-Brown, Mr. and Mrs. D. MacHaffie and Mrs. S. Barker.

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Among the many jolly houseparties which danced the Old Year out and the New Year in was that given by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh B. Darnell, "Miyajima," Upper Terrace Road, the Uplands. Appropriate decorations were used in the spacious drawing room and sunroom and in the dining-room, where the buffet supper was served shortly before midnight. Dancing and amusing games were enjoyed by the guests who included Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barnard (London), Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Swan, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Scoby, Miss Gwen Scoby, Col. and Mrs. W. N. Winsby, Capt. and Mrs. A. T. B. Layborn, Miss Clare Layborn, Col. and Mrs. B. de Mossin, Miss Boatman, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilson, Miss Eileen Wilson, Mr. Brian Wilson, Mr. Henry Dalby, Miss Walker, the Misses Mabel and Viva Brown, the Misses Agnes and Gertrude Thomas, Messrs. Bowden and Thomas.

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Miss Grace D. Burris, of the teaching staff of the King Edward High School, Vancouver, is spending the New Year holidays in Victoria and is a guest at Roccabella.

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The members of the Hunt Club held a meet yesterday afternoon, and were afterwards the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dugald Gillespie at the tea hour at their home Highwood, Moss Street. Among those who were riding were Capt. and Mrs. Walter Clark of Salt Lake City, Mrs. Homer Dixon, Mrs. Dugald Gillespie, Miss Margot Homer Dixon, Miss E. Garrett, Miss Rowena Horsey, Miss Mary Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. McAllan, Mrs. Alan Swinton, Mrs. D. St. G. Lindsay and Mr. Richard Garrett. Mrs. Alan McAnnally, Mrs. Humphrey Baynes and Mr. Ned Ash were also present at the tea hour.

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Mrs. F. A. MacKenzie, Windsor Road, entertained at the tea hour Wednesday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Miss Sue MacKenzie. The tea table was lovely with a large crystal bowl of old rose-colored chrysanthemums surrounded by rose-colored tulle and four long tapers in low silver sconces, and was presided over by Miss Olga Sturrock and Miss Nell Muirhead. Assisting Miss MacKenzie in serving were Miss Aileen Cullum, Miss Maxine Ewart, Miss Joyce Adams and Miss Patricia McConnan. The guests included Misses Velma Anderson, Betty Bechtel, Doris Banks, Betty Bapty, Pat Brown, Peace and Norah Cornwall, Marion Carnahan (Vancouver), Marianne Fraser, Francis Gibbs, Dallas Homer Dixon, Eleanore Heisterman, Frances Jones, Jean Lennox, Hazel Jack, Margaret Merrick, Dorothy Mercer, Margaret Moxam, Peggy Parsons, Pete Porter, Barbara Player, Orrie Bradfoot, Eileen Regan, Mary Ross, Margaret Sheret, Beverly Valo, Bessie Thorne, Florence Hayward, Rosalind Young, Helen Harris, Margaret Watson, Alice and Christie Semmes.

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"No-host" parties are becoming a popular form of entertainment in connection with the New Year's Eve festivities and among the many which were a feature of Wednesday evening's revelry was that arranged by Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. G. M. Hibbard, Dr. and Mrs. J. S. McCallum and Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Hansen. The guests assembled on H.M.C.S. Vancouver and later went on to the Empress Hotel, where they dined in one of the private rooms. Among those present were Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. H. G. Oswin, Mr. and Mrs. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. K. R. F. Denniston, Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. D. St. G. Lindsay, Mrs. E. A. Nixon, Mrs. Homer Dixon, Miss Margot Homer Dixon, Miss Doris Gibson, Miss Mary Martin, Miss Doreen Ashburnham, Mrs. Humphrey Baynes, Mrs. V. Godfrey, Miss Grace Humber, Miss Rowena Horsey, Miss Mary Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. A. Crump, Major and Mrs. A. Swinton, Mr. and Mrs. E. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Alan McAnally, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McIntosh, Miss Eva McIntosh, Miss J. Lang, Mrs. W. W. Watson, Captain Hardie, and Messrs. L. Backler, J. S. Williams, Maurice Humber, W. Dunbar, C. Milligan, R. P. Wilmot, Net Ash, Robin Piers, John Paton, Howard Harman, D'Arcy, Tom Wilson and Lieut.-Commander P. Tisdall. The party reassembled at the home of Dr. and Mrs. McCallum, Esquimalt Road, where an excellent orchestra supplied the music for dancing.

MEET ON TRAIN, WISH TO MARRY, PASTOR REFUSES

Young Couple Would Wed After Short Traveling Friendship; Parson Says Wait

Montreal, Jan. 2.—A courtship that started on a transcontinental train near Winnipeg would have resulted in a marriage on the train if Rev. Henry Jenkins of Butte, Montana, had not declined to perform the ceremony. Russell Carman Roblee of Westchester Station, N.S., and Mary Anderson of Halifax, met and became engaged on the train while en route to Halifax. Mr. Jenkins was a passenger, but when asked to perform a train marriage, he preferred not to act, advising them to wait a few months until they had become better acquainted.

"While I have confidence in the couple's sincerity," said Mr. Jenkins, "I honestly could not encourage what might turn out to be almost a passing fancy. In Canada, I believe, marriage in a train is still an unheard of stunt and I felt it my duty to discourage it as such."

Roblee, twenty-one-year-old farmer, went to the prairies four years ago as a harvest worker and remained and made good near Calgary.

"It is not a stunt," he declared. "I have worked hard and I am old enough to know what I want and who I like."

The young man is returning to his Nova Scotia home to work on his father's farm.

Mary Anderson, twenty-five years old, has been an orphan since the age of seventeen. She was born in Halifax, but has lived most of her life in Vancouver. She is making her fourth transcontinntal trip and declared today that she would stop off at Westchester Station to visit Roblee's people. "I know Carman is rather precipitate," she said, "and I have told him there's no need to hurry."

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Many expressions of appreciation were voiced by those on whose ears fell the sweet strains of appropriate carols on Christmas morn. The same day a banquet was served to members of the hospital staff in the tastily-decorated dining-room on the main floor. Many gifts were received by nurses and employees from former patients resident in Victoria and Vancouver. It was regrettable that Dr. Leiske, on account of having received a call, was unable to attend the banquet.

No less than four programmes were rendered during the week, the first of which was that of the Rest Haven school presented under the direction of its teacher, Miss Winnifred Lamming, consisting of twenty numbers. At its close Miss Lamming was presented with a cheque in appreciation of her efforts with the children. Christmas evening found the nurses prepared with an enjoyable programme of orations and music.

Through the kindness of J. F. Simister of Sidney, a very enjoyable two hours was spent in the lounge on the evening of December 27. There were present many friends from the surrounding district to share the happiness of the occasion. The programme was rendered by the following: Miss Gertrude Straight, A. A. Wollard, Mrs. E. J. Rahsleigh, W. Jones, Mrs. G. Anstey, Mrs. G. E. Mitchell, Dalbert LeMarquand, Miss Straight, Mr. Simister and friends, G. E. Mitchell and J. F. Simister.

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CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT

An enjoyable entertainment was given in the social hall of the Victoria West United Church on Tuesday evening by the scholars of the school. The programme included sketches by the various classes, recitations, vocal solos and piano selections. During the evening Santa Claus made a visit and distributed presents from a gaily-decorated Christmas tree, and gave to the scholars oranges and candies. The programme was greatly enjoyed by an audience of parents and friends which filled the hall.

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FEEDINGS IN THE NIGHT ALWAYS UNCOMFORTABLE FOR PARENT

Of the night feedings still required by some babies, that which comes at the cold hour of 2 a.m., is certain to be an uncomfortable one for the mother. Under those circumstances it is a temptation to warm the bottle at bedtime and keep it warm until used. Such tactics, while convenient, are fraught with real danger, for the moment milk is warmed the bacteria present in it begin to rear large families and by the time baby gets his feeding it is not fit for his consumption. Any such method of feeding baby must be discarded. There are other more satisfactory ways.

HEATING THE MILK

An electric plate may be attached in the bedroom, a gas plate or canned heat may be used. A thermos bottle filled with boiling water is exceedingly helpful; the water may be poured into a deep cup, the milk bottle set on a small piece of wood in the cup and the whole put over one or the other of heats mentioned. The milk will be warm enough to use in only a few moments.

Some mothers have suggested that the cold bottle be laid directly on the electric plate and turned frequently until warmed. This idea still fills me with the fear that the bottle might break though I have been assured by users that it does not.

USE EVAPORATED MILK

Unsweetened, evaporated milk suggests itself as a useful night feeding. A small can of the milk, an equal amount of warm water, and two level teaspoons of sugar for about an eight-ounce formula will make a suitable feeding in no time at all.

We have a leaflet discussing the use of unsweetened, evaporated milk formulas which will be useful to a mother, whether she is interested in a convenient night feeding, a feeding for traveling, or a feeding for constant use in any community where a uniform grade of good, pasturized milk is not available. Through experience we have found that this is a staple, convenient form of canned milk and is easily digested. As the modern mother boils her baby's milk, the use of a boiled milk has no disadvantages which cannot be made up by the daily use of sufficient orange juice. A self-addressed, stamped envelope enclosed with each request will bring this leaflet to any reader. Address your requests to the "Your Baby and Mine" department of this newspaper.

The average well-fed baby will sleep from ten to six after the fourth month, sometimes longer. It is inadvisable to waken the baby for the middle of the night feeding if he shows the slightest inclination to sleep through it. If he is wakened regularly, despite his personal desire to sleep, he seldom takes a full feeding and he is prevented from solidifying the habit of sleeping through the night.

Even small babies, if well fed, can get along with only four or five feedings daily, and the best interval for infant feeding so far tested is the 6-10-2-6 daytime interval and one night feeding, at whatever hour the baby wakens for it naturally. Such intervals give his mother the greatest freedom in daytime and offer her a night of undisturbed rest.

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Hon. R. R. Bruce and Miss Mackenzie Received Over 1,000 Visitors at Government House; Political, Judicial, Civic, Clerical, Naval and Military Leaders Welcome Friends on Holiday.

His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie yesterday afternoon received over 1,000 guests between 3 and 5 o'clock, at the New Year's Day reception held at Government House. Miss Mackenzie wore a black gown and hat to match. In attendance upon His Honor were Lieutenant-Commander Adrian Hope, R.C.N., Major P. Hennessy, D.S.O., M.C., and Capt. Hobart Molson, M.C. The visitors were announced by Capt. H. M. McGiverin and the visitors' book was in charge of A. M. D. Fairbairn and Capt. J. G. Cromack.

Refreshments were served in the ballroom, which was decorated with Christmas trees, poinsettia, chryasanthemums and greenery. The drawing-room was colorful with hothouse flowers and plants.

Hon. S. F. Tolmie and Mrs. Tolmie were at home at "Cloverdale" to hundreds of callers during the afternoon, the rooms being gay with Christmas decorations. The tea table was decorated with poinsettia and red candles.

Chief Justice J. A. Macdonald and Mrs. Macdonald received several hundred callers at their residence on St. Charles Street, being assisted in receiving by their daughter, Miss Norma Macdonald.

Mayor and Mrs. Anscomb received at Hove Villa, Newport Avenue, between 3 and 5 o'clock, and welcomed many New Year visitors.

Three hundred visitors called upon the Bishop of Columbia and Mrs. Schofield at Bishop's Close and a large number of men were the guests of Dean Quainton at the Deanery.

Right Rev. Gerald C. Murray, Bishop of Victoria, held a largely attended reception at the Bishop's Palace, View Street, being assisted in receiving by Rev. Father Evans.

During the morning the Senior Naval Officer at Esquimalt, with officers of the barracks and the captain and officers of H.M.C.S. Vancouver, received callers at the officers' mess of the R.C.N. barracks, Esquimalt.

At Work Point Barracks, Brigadier J. Sutherland Brown and officers were "at home" until 1 o'clock. At the Armories, Lieutenant-Colonel T. B. Monk and officers of the Fifth B.C. Coast Brigade, Canadian Artillery, received in their mess. Col. D. B. Martyn and officers of the Canadian Scottish Regiment also received many friends during the afternoon at the Armories.

At the Y.W.C.A. callers were received by Mrs. Arthur Walsh, president of the board of directors, and tea was served by Mrs. Drummond Hay, members of the board and the staff.

The following callers visited Government House during the afternoon:

Among those who called during the afternoon were Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Hon. R. H. Pooley, Hon. J. Hinchliffe, Hon. S. L. Howe, Hon. J. W. Jones, Lieut.-Col. A. W. Jones, J. L. Mara, James Adam, P. F. Curtis, W. Hotham, R. F. Matheys, R. Mathews, H. Chapman, Mrs. F. Simpson, Mrs. J. W. Fullbrook, Miss W. Abbott, Miss E. Nex, Miss F. Abbott, Mrs. R. C. Neild, Col. H. T. Goodland, Mrs. S. R. Stevens, Brigadier-General and Mrs. Willock, Mr. and Mrs. Barber-Starkey, Mr. and Mrs. R. Mainguy, Mr. E. W. Izard, Capt. P.R.M. Wallis, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mouat, Mr. and Mrs. Parfitt, Mr. and Mrs. Sutcliffe, Mr. and Mrs. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hatch, Miss L. Patterson, F. R. Strasford, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Henderson, Mrs. Bott, Vernon; Mrs. R. Dundas, Miss Simcox, Mrs. J. M. Ravencroft, Miss Tooley, C. Hoard, Commander and Mrs. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Smith, Rev. W. Gemmell, Miss Gemmell, Brigadier-General and Mrs. Dunbar, Captain and Mrs. Stuart Robertson, Stephen Jones, G. B. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. McKelvie, Lieutenat-Commander Edwards, Lieutenant Porteous, Major and Mrs. Holden, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dick, Col. F. G. Hood, Sir Percy Lake, Sir Richard Lake, Captain and Mrs. Bell, Sandford Evans, Winnipeg; H. Sargent, Major W. Bapty, Captain and Mrs. W. Ord, Major H. Seale, W. Everall, Rev. A. de B. Owen, Lieutenant and Mrs. Brown, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Gregory, Major W. G. Cunningham, Major and Mrs. Sisman, Lieutenant-Colonel Tremaine, James Forman, A. Turner, H. Ravenhill, Lientenant-Colonel Logan, Vancouver; Lieutenant Davy, Capt. and Mrs. H. B. Andrews, E. E. N. McCallum, Capt. G. Kirkendale, Captain and Mrs. Barff, Col. Ridgway Wilson, Reginald Pulteney, E. W. McMullen, J. C. Pendray, Major Gordon Smith, George Phillips, Major Russell, George Jay, Frank Sehl, H. G. Garrett, Capt. Glen Holland, Dr. and Mrs. H. Young, Mr. and Mrs. J. Baxter, Capt. and Mrs. R. Borrill, Colonel Forbes, Major and Mrs. Fletcher, Colonel and Mrs. Martyn, Chief Justice Macdonald, Kyrle Symons, J. S. Plaskett, L. C. Ogilvie, Reginald Hayward, Major Gibson, Captain and Mrs. Kirby, H. P. Hope, A. Nairn Robertson, George S. Clark, Vancouver; Colonel Lightbody, Dr. E. M. Pearse, A. W. Harvey, John Dean, Dr. D. W. Graham, C. H. Dickie, Rt. Rev. C. de V. Schofield, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Helmcken, Dr. F. Leeder, Colonel and Mrs. L. R. Parsons, Captain and Mrs. Travis, J. Ian Simpson, R. V. D. Guthrie, Major R. Kingham, Lieut. C. Wightman, H. P. Hodges, E. C. B. Bagshawe, Mrs. K. Spurgin, Miss Spurgin, Captain and Mrs. Swan, Mrs. Andrew Mackenzie.

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CONVENING COLLEGE BALL

MISS PAT BROWN

MISS ROSALIND YOUNG

—Photos by Savannah

Miss Young and Miss Brown have charge of the arrangements for the annual "invasion" dance of the Victoria College in honor of the visiting teams from the University of British Columbia. The affair will be held at the Empress Hotel to-morrow evening and it is anticipated that a large crowd of students and their friends will join in the fun. Special music is being arranged for the occasion.

THOUSANDS GREET NEW YEAR WITH REVELRY

Celebrations at Empress Hotel, Armories, Crystal Garden, Yacht Club, J.B.A.A., Shrine Hall and Other Popular Rendezvous Unusually Festive; Crowds on Streets Hail 1931 With Noisy Interchange of Greeting.

Business worries, financial depression and other alleged signs of the times were forgotten and Victoria, together with the rest of the world, bid farewell to the Old Year with all its memories, and welcomed 1931 with traditional revelry and a promising crop of resolutions on New Year's Eve. Year by year sees a growing increase in the number of public celebrations of the traditional observance, and thousands of revelers in the city patronized the various entertainments arranged at the hotels and other public functions and danced their way through the dying hours of 1930 and well on into the dawn of the new year. As the chimes and the sirens rang out the hour of midnight, crowds paraded the streets, hundreds in automobiles with horns honking and other noise-producing instruments to add to the din, while those a-foot shouted greetings to all and sundry in joyous anticipation of a happy and prosperous New Year.

500 AT EMPRESS HOTEL

Nearly 500 guests participated in the annual celebration at the Empress Hotel, where the lounge, foyer, ballroom and main dining-room were attractive, with Yuletide decorations. Dancing commenced at 9 o'clock, the spirited music being supplied by the hotel orchestra, augmented for the occasion to ten pieces under the direction of William Tickle.

Adjournment was made to the dining-room at 11 o'clock, when His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, accompanied by Miss Mackenzie and Capt. W. H. Molson, arrived to the strains of the National Anthem. Supper was halted a few minutes before midnight by the dimming of the lights and the playing by the orchestra of "Auld Lang Syne" announced the birth of 1931.

SMART FAVORS

Pandemonium was immediately let loose, as the guests, wearing the gay paper caps which marked each place, greeted the New Year with horns, whistles, drums and the inter-change of greetings and good wishes.

After supper was over, the guests returned to the ballroom. The ladies were given very smart bridge card sets as charming favors.

OFFICERS ARE HOSTS

Inaugurating a new custom, the officers of the 16th Canadian Scottish Regiment entertained over 300 guests at the Armories, the affair proving one of the most popular functions of the season. Myriads of flags, miles of bunting and Christmas greenery had transformed the vast hall, and the officers' mess was used for dancing.

The announcement of the supper waltz brought the regimental pipers, who piped the guests, among whom were His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie, down to the Drill Hall below, where a huge circle was formed. On the stroke of midnight a blank cartridge was fired from one of the big guns, the lights were dimmed for a moment, then came on again as the band broke into the strains of the National Anthem.

QUAINT CUSTOM

The regimental sergeant-major, warrant officers and N.C.O.'s carried out the old custom of "first-footing" the colonel of the regiment, Col. D. B. Martyn, D.S.O., M.C., and all joined in singing "Auld Lang Syne."

The specious balconies were pressed into service as a supper room, the walls being hung with flags and pennants. Long tables were arranged to seat the many guests, and an excellent supper served, after which dancing was resumed until the early hours.

CROWD AT YACHT CLUB

The Royal Victoria Yacht Club at the Uplands has always been a popular rendezvous on New Year's Eve, and Wednesday evening was no exception, in spite of many rival attractions. Beautifully decorated with bunting and hundred of inflated balloons, the carnival effect in the ballroom was enhanced by the code signal flags, draped from corner to corner, spelling "A Happy New Year to All," and the colored lights which shone from the historic wheel of H.M.C.S. Rainbow, placed over the large open fireplace.

About 350 guests danced to the excellent music, and the advent of midnight was hailed with traditional noise and revelry, after which dancing was resumed with enthusiasm until an early hour.

AT CRYSTAL GARDEN

Between 300 and 400 ushered in the New Year at the Crystal Garden cabaret frolic where Charlie Hunt's orchestra kept jollity at a high pitch. Midnight was signalled by a blast from the orchestra, followed by the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" after which there was a shower of balloons from the roof.

An excellent supper was served and the tables were loaded with favors for the ladies.

J.B.A.A. CELEBRATION

Keeping up their reputation as successful hosts, the members of the James Bay Athletic Association entertained on New Year's Eve at their commodious clubhouse at the Gorge, nearly 300 guests joining in the fun. All the familiar old dance tunes, as well as the latest hits from New York and London, were played for the dancing, the club colors of navy, blue and white being used effectively as a background for the gay scene.

Supper was served at eight long tables, attractively arranged with the club colors. Paper caps and crackers, whistles and toys were distributed just before midnight, and as the clock struck the hour the din of noisemakers ushered in the new year. From the ceiling fell a shower of blue and white balloons, and all the guests joined in singing "Auld Lang Syne." Mr. A. McVane was master of ceremonies, and the following committee assisted in making the affair such a great success: Mrs. McVane, Miss Underwood, Messrs. Phil Ford, T. D. Roberts and O. C. Walls.

AT SHRINE HALL

Another big crowd of revellers gathered at the Shrine Auditorium for the dance arranged in celebration of the passing of the old year. At midnight the dancers retired to the banquet hall which was beautifully decorated with streamers and banners of all colors. A delightful sit-down supper was served. In front of every place paper caps, crackers and noisemakers of all kinds were placed, and when the zero hour of twelve arrived a barrage of noise broke out. Dancing was resumed again until early in the morning.

AUNT HET

BY R[illegible] QUILLEN

"Sallie May has got triplets, an' I'm glad to see her with some affliction that folks can't say she brought on herself by dietin'."

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. A. N. Mouat returned to Victoria last night from Vancouver, where she has been spending the Christmas season. Mr. and Mrs. Mouat have taken up their residence again in their old home, 4 Beach Drive, pending the completion of their new home in the Uplands.

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Miss Dallas Homer Dixon and Messrs. Bobbie Miller and Lorne Campbell arranged a "no-host" party for New Year's Eve, at the home of Colonel and Mrs. Homer Dixon, Manor Road. About sixty guests were present. Seasonable decorations adorned the home.

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Morenz and Charlie Conacher Deliver Fastest Shots in N.H.L.

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Many Italian Athletes Sprang to the Front During Last Year

FREAK deliveries are suggested at once by the disclosure that the big league ball teams in spring training will experiment with a different kind of baseball from that which the present generation of diamond athletes have been using. The new ball will have a seam, it is said, made of thread that is twice as heavy as that used in the old apple, and the horsehide covering will be twice as thick. The heavy thread will provide a ridge around the ball at the seam, offering a better grip for pitchers and offering wind resistance that may result in some queer curves. Certainly with a ball like that it will be easier for a hurler to toss a twister.

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The ball with a raised seam is made to order for knuckle-ball flingers. Men like Rommell, of the Philadelphia Athletics, throw a ball that does not spin as it travels towards the plate. The pitcher gambles on an imperfection in the surface of the ball to produce a curve or variation in the path of the pellet. With a ridge all the way around the ball at the seam, a ball propelled without a spin goes through odd gyrations. Baseball men used to call it the "old dipsy-do" and while such a ball looks as easy as a balloon to hit, it has a way of floating right past the batter.

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A spitball pitcher could perform unearthly antics with a raised-seamed ball. In theory a spitball is not like a knuckle ball except that the spitter travels faster and its break is sharper. But then, there are only a few spitball flingers left in the majors—Mitchell of the New York Giants, Faber of the Chicago White Sox and Grimes of the St. Louis Cardinals. The story of the last world series might have been different if Grimes had been throwing a ball with a ridge along its seam.

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With Cecil "Babe" Dye no longer in the National Hockey League, opinion is divided regarding the player who should be his successor in the art of hurling a puck with the greatest force. The goalkeepers, naturally, are the best judges, and they cannot agree between Charlie Conacher, of the Toronto Maple Leafs, and Howie Morenz of the Montreal Canadiens. When in full flight, Morenz can whip the disc along at a lightning-like pace, but Conacher can do the same thing when skating slowly, or, for that matter, when standing still. Conacher, however, does not rely on his speedy shot to get goals. Last year he scored twenty-two, and twenty of these came from successful rushes right into close quarters to beat the net guardians. Only two were registered from long range.

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Dye was different, and often sagged the twine when shooting from the half-way mark. Morenz's best fast shot is generally delivered from just outside the defence. Others who are right up with the league's fast shooters are: Bill Cook and "Butch" Keeling of the New York Rangers; Nelson Stewart of the Montreal Maroons; Billy Burch and Frank Carson of the New York Americans; King Clancy and "Happy" Day of Toronto; Nick Wasnie of the Canadiens; Art Smith of Ottawa; Eddie Goodfellow and Carson Cooper of Detroit and "Dit" Clapper and Eddie Shore of Boston.

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One of the features of the 1929 sport year was the predominance of Italian athletes. Look them over: Baseball had Lazzeri, of the New York Yankees; Mancusco and Orsatti of the St. Louis Cardinals, and Melillo of the St. Louis Browns; golf featured Gene Sarazen and the Turnesa brothers; bicycle riding had Georgetti, Belloni and Mracardo, while boxing's 400 was composed of Petrolle, Canzoneri, La Barba, Carrera and Battalino. Colitletti and Catrone upheld the honor of old Italy in the jockey ranks, while American football heroes numbered Carideo, Savoldi, Siano and Macaluso and even hockey is credited with two outstanding Italian players in George and Sylvio Mantha of Montreal Canadiens.

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"We have been doing very well in our own peculiar way," said Joe Jacobs Schmeling's manager, down in New York the other day. We'll certainly have to agree with Joe. It is peculiar.

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Bobby Jones collects from the films after he demonstrated his greatness. Max Schmeling is going to collect before his abilities are really known. Well, maybe it's best to be on the safe side.

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Burleigh Grimes, the goat of the last world's baseball series, is putting on a vaudeville act. Jimmy Foxx, Mickey Cochrane and Al Simmons are not included in the skit.

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Add this to your list of similes: "As useless an occupation as trying to figure out who is the wrestling champion."

Billy Petrolle Wins Over Light

Fargo, N.D., Jan. 2.—Billy Petrolle, Fargo lightweight, won over Billy Light, St. Paul welterweight, in a feature six-round bout here yesterday.

Petrolle was unable to reach Light effectively and long range fighting and clinches resulted, in which Petrolle had the better of the milling. Petrolle carried the edge of five of six rounds, the second being even. Petrolle weighed 140, Light 147.

Hand Ottawa Ninth Straight Defeat In Grimly Fought Game

Brace of Goals by "Babe" Siebert Prove Undoing of Senators by 3 to 2 Count; Toronto Maple Leafs Return to Form With 2 to 0 Victory Over New York Americans to Gain Third Place in Canadian Division; Boston Continues to Hold Jinx Over Rangers by Defeating New York Club 4 to 3 in Overtime, "Red" Beattie Netting Winning Goal; Black Hawks Swamp Philadelphia 10 to 3.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 2.—Rival teams are closing in on Montreal Canadiens, leaders of the Canadian section of the National Hockey League. Yesterday evening the Maroons, their intra-city rivals, tied them for the leadership by trouncing Ottawa 3 to 2 in a grimly fought struggle. Toronto Maple Leafs drew up to within two points of the Maroons and Habitants by defeating the New York Americans, 2 to 0, and ousting the Gothamites from third place.

In the junior section of the league, Boston Bruins continued to prove the "jinx" of New York Rangers, by beating Lester Patrick's blue shirted hockeyists, 4 to 3, in a thrilling overtime tussle.

Chicago Black Hawks breezed through to an easy 10 to 3 triumph over Philadelphia, to strengthen their hold on second place, four points behind the Bruins, and two in the van of the Rangers.

"Babe" Seibert, hard-hitting Montreal winger, whipped the Senators practically single-handed by notching a brace of unassisted tallies in the second frame and giving Hooley Smith the pass for the winning goal in the third twenty minutes.

Len Grosvenor accepted Danny Cox's pass to even the scoring, after Seibert had hung up his first tally, and then Joe Lamb tied the count for the second time early in the third period, but though the Senators fought desperately from start to finish they could never gain the lead and went to their ninth successive defeat.

LEAPS BACK TO FORM

With the return to form of their "kid" front line, the Leafs resumed where they left off some weeks ago before injuries halted their drive for the leadership.

Two pretty goals by "Chuck" Conacher and Harvey Jackson, youthful wingers, clinched the contest against the star spangled outfit in the third period.

Late in the third period, King Clancy, Toronto's fighting defence player, and Patterson, sturdy wingman of the New Yorkers, put on a fistic exhibition, which resulted in nearly every player on the ice picking out an opponent to test his hitting powers against. The referees broke up the Donnybrook before much daamage had been done and meted out major penalties to Clancy and Patterson.

Joe Jerwa gave Rangers a splendid chance to overcome the jinx Boston appears to hold over them, when he scored two unexpected goals, twenty seconds apart, early in the third frame, to give the New Yorkers a 3 to 1 lead.

Marty Barry reduced the Ranger margin by scoring on Art Chapman's pass, with three minutes to go. Gainor then knotted the count a minute later on Barry's pass and the game went into overtime.

BEATTIE NETS WINNER

"Red" Beattie again proved the pinch hitter for the Bostonians by scoring the winning goal less than two minutes after the start of the extra session.

The Black Hawks' triumph over the Quakers was anticipated, as the American group cellar occupants have only won one contest this season.

Toronto, Jan. 2.—A third period splurge that netted two goals enabled the Toronto Maple Leafs to whip the New York Americans in a wild National Hockey League game here yesterday evening, 2 to 0. The victory gave the Leafs undisputed possession of third place in the Canadian Division standings.

After two scoreless periods, Charlie Conacher gave the Leafs a one-goal lead, and four minutes before the end, Jackson netted the puck to clinch the game. This last goal was the signal for a free-for-all. Pat Patterson and King Clancy dropped their sticks and tried to settle their feud with fists, and other players joined in the fun. The referees pulled the combatants apart, plastered major penalties on Clancy and Patterson, and let it go at that. Earlier in the game, Dutton and Jackson had been given majors for cross-checking each other.

Officials — Odie Cleghorn and F. Daignault.

SUMMARY

First period—No score.

Second period—No score.

Third period—1, Toronto, Conacher (Primeau and Horner), 10.05; 2, Toronto, Jackson (Primeau and Conacher), 6.15.

New York, Jan. 2.—The Boston Bruins defeated the New York Rangers 4 to 3 in an overtime National Hockey League thriller yesterday evening to start their third year of triumphs over the Rangers. The last time the Rangers beat the Bruins was in 1929.

Trailing 3 to 1, less than three minutes before the end of the third period, the Bruins scored two quick goals to tie the score then added the winning counter early in the overtime session. Marty Barry, tall Boston centre, succeeded Joe Jerwa of New York, as the hero of the game when he scored one of the two goals tat tied the count and passed to Dutch Gainor for the other. Red Beattie made the winning tally on a fine unassisted play.

Jerwa put the Rangers ahead early in the third period when he scored two surprising unassisted goals only twenty seconds apart. Bun Cook scored first for the Rangers, early in the second period, while Gainor tied the count for the first time in the same frame.

SUMMARY

First period—No score.

Second period—1, Rangers, F. Cook (Boucher), 2.04; 2, Boston, Gainor, 6.04. Penalties: Beattie and Johnson.

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HOCKEY STANDINGS

P.C.H.L.

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Vancouver	5	2	5	19	15	15
Portland	5	4	3	22	19	13
Seattle	4	3	5	21	16	13
Tacoma	2	7	1	12	24	5

N.H.L. Canadian Section

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Canadiens	9	4	3	47	38	21
Maroons	8	6	3	24	24	19
N.Y. Americans	6	6	6	27	26	19
Toronto	8	6	3	38	37	19
Ottawa	4	12	1	36	51	9

American Section

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Boston	12	4	2	60	36	26
Chicago	10	5	2	44	26	22
N.Y. Rangers	8	7	4	50	43	20
Detroit	7	7	3	44	35	17
Philadelphia	1	16	1	26	75	3

BUFFALO HOLD BIG LEAD IN MINOR HOCKEY

Bisons Defeat Pittsburgh 3 to 1 to Retain Six-point Lead in International

Windsor Bulldogs Keep Pace With Leaders By 3 to 2 Win Over Syracuse

Toronto, Jan. 2.—Victories of Windsor and London over Syracuse and Detroit, respectively, and the fine stand made by Pittsburgh Yellow Jackets against the league-leading Buffalo Bisons, were the highlights of yesterday evening's three-game schedule in the International Hockey League.

By downing the Stars, 3 to 2, the Bulldogs kept pace with the Bisons who outscored the Yellow Jackets, 3 to 1. The border city team are still six points behind the Buffalonians, but are now three points ahead of the third-place Cleveland Indians.

The Tecumsehs outclassed Detroit Olympics to attain victory and drew upon even terms with their opponents for third-place honors, two points behind the Indians.

The Bulldogs have an opportunity of reducing the leader's margin to-night when the teams meet in the only scheduled contest. The border-city team has already downed the Bisons in Buffalo and believe they are strong enough to do it again.

Goodfellow Still Leading Scorers In Major Hockey

Leaders in the various departments of the National Hockey League follow:

CANADIAN SECTION

Team—Canadiens, played 16, won 9, lost 4, tied 3, points 21; Maroons, played 18, won 9, lost 6, tied 3, points 21.

Most points (goals and assists)—Morenz, Canadiens, 15 goals, 5 assists, 20 points.

Most goals—Morenz, 15.

Most assists—Primeau, Toronto 9.

Most penalties—Alex. Smith, Ottawa, 53 minutes.

Most shutouts—Toronto, 6 (Chabot 4, Grant 2).

AMERICAN SECTION

Team—Boston, played 18, won 12, lost 4, tied 2, points 26.

Most points (goals and assists)—Goodfellow, Detroit, 15 goals, 8 assists, 25 points.

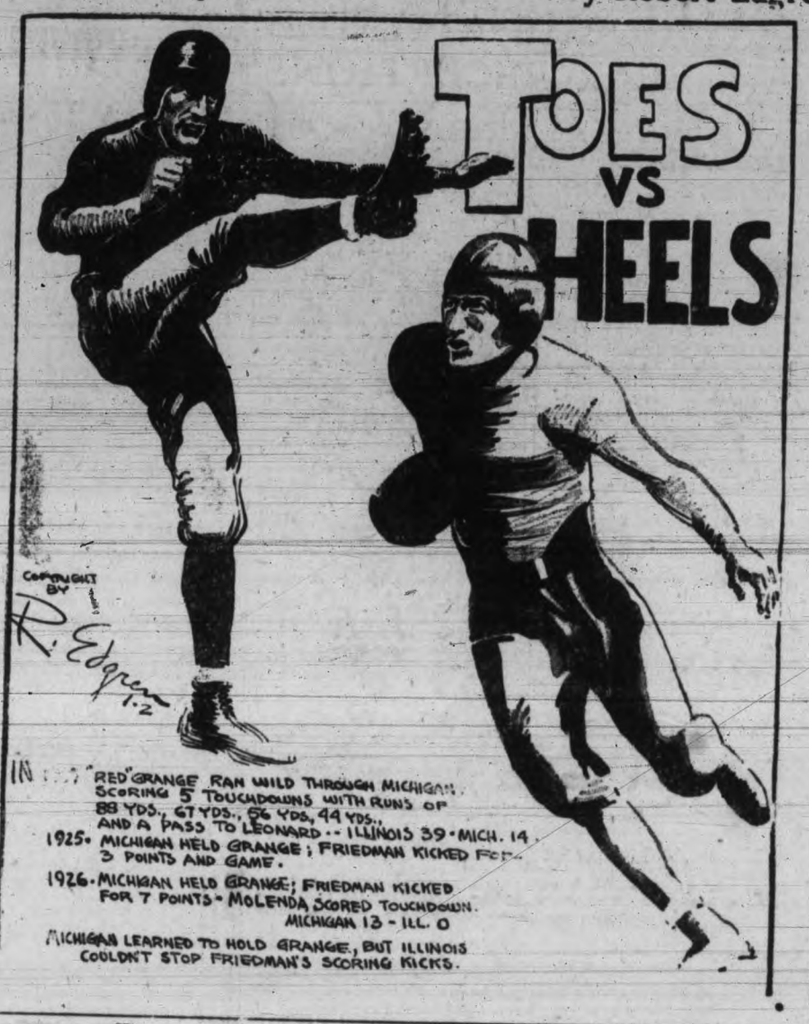
Most goals—Goodfellow, Detroit, 15.

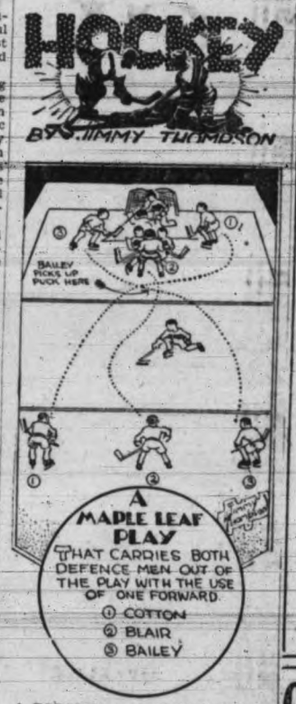
Most assists—Boucher, Rangers, 11.

Most penalties—Shore, Boston, 53 minutes.

Most shutouts—Gardiner, Chicago, 5.

Miracles of Sport — By Robert Edgren





A TORONTO MAPLE LEAF PLAY

At the present pace that pro hockey is played there are very few men who are fast and smart enough to split the defence of any team. That is, to carry the puck right into the opposing defence, then shoot between their legs and go between them to pick up the disc on the other side. As a result of the tightening up of the game we have a new play formed that depends on speed and yet is extremely effective. Andy Blair, the Winnipeg boy, who has been more than successful this year with the Toronto Maple Leafs, has got this play down to a science. Blair carries the puck straight into the opposing defence, but as he is about to be checked he drops the puck, which is picked up by "Ace" Bailey, who has swung in close behind, going over around the right side of the defence. In the meantime, Harold Cotton has dodged in on the left hand side of the net and is waiting for a pass should Bailey be checked. The idea of this attack is that Blair carries two men out of the play.

Freddie Steele Gains Decision Over T. Portillo

Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 2.—Freddie Steele, Tacoma welterweight, gained the decision over Tony Portillo, Los Angeles Mexican, at the end of their six-round bout, heading the programme here yesterday. Steele had the advantage in four rounds, while Portillo took one and the other was even.

Neil Kilbane, Tacoma middleweight, won on a technical knockout over "Scotty" Ingster, Vancouver, B.C., in the fifth round of the semi-final. Ingster substituted at the last moment and appeared in poor shape.

In the four-round preliminaries, Tommy Jeffers, Peel colored welter, and Mike Griffo, Seattle, drew. Siles Bain, Tacoma lightweight, won a decision over "Soldier" Brown, Tacoma, and Bud Henry, Seattle 130-pounder, and Louis Medina, Tacoma, drew.

HUNDREDS EXPECTED TO WATCH VICTORIA TRY TO REGAIN LEAD IN RUGBY

For their first exhibition of the English code in the new year, hundreds of oval ball followers are expected to flock to the Royal Athletic Park to-morrow to watch the Varsity McKechnie Cup and Second Division teams clash with the Victoria Reps and Victoria College, respectively, in what should prove two fixtures of high calibre. While they are there they will also see the local Y.M.C.A. track stars race a picked relay squad from the University of British Columbia in the interval between the two games.

The first encounter will commence at 1.30 o'clock when College, until last Saturday, undefeated city and provincial champions for the last three years, will clash with Coach Gilbert McIlmoyl's undefeated Second Division Varsity fifteen, leaders of their loop on the mainland.

At 2.30 o'clock the local all-stars will make a determined effort to regain the lead in the McKechnie Cup series with a victory over Varsity. This will be the first match between the teams this season and promises to be one of the most keenly-fought struggles the locals have put up against the blue-and-gold students. A win to-morrow will put the Victorians right back in the fight for the prized silverware and will make their chances of annexing the coveted cup equal to those of Vancouver. Capt. Levien will referee the senior game.

At present the Terminal City representatives have won two games, one against Victoria and the other against Varsity and have dropped one to the Capital City squad.

Victoria will line up as follows: Bryden, Pease, Wenman, Turgoose, Stagg, C. Forbes, Henderson, Cockin, Roberts, Wharton, Sparks, Warnock, Rowland, Bernard and Goad. Reserves are Usher and B. Forbes.

Vancouver's team will be chosen from: Cleveland, P. Barratt, Murdock, Mercer, Estabrook, Gani, Walmsley, B. Barratt, Mason, Murray, Mitchell, Ledingham, Rogers, Mixon, Griffin, Ruttan, Martin and Henderson.

CHARLES AND RENAULT WILL TRADE BLOWS

Belgian Heavyweight and Veteran Canadian Battler Meet at Garden To-night

Baer and Heeney Matched For January 16; Attempt to Revive Boxing Interest

New York, N.Y., Jan. 2.—Troubled by the financial depression that has beset the boxing game, harassed by the latest mushroom growth of wrestling as the favorite of the faithful, a squad of ordinary heavyweights wheel into action in Madison Square Garden Friday night to see if something can't be done about it to start the new year right.

The Garden has dug up Jack Renault, who once rode with the Canadian Northwest Mounted Police, to battle Pierre Charles, Belgian heavyweight, in the main bout of ten rounds. Renault, who has won several skirmishes along the comeback trail, replaced Mateo Osa, promising youngster from Paulino Uzcudun's Basque country in Spain. Osa injured an arm in training.

STEADY DECLINE

The steady decline of boxing at the Garden, blamed on poor matches and weak performances, has stripped the wealthy corporation of the profits that used to roll in under the regime of the late Tex Rickard.

After a jeering crowd of 6,000 saw Frankie Genaro and Midget Wolgast box to a fifteen-round draw in a fly-weight title go last Friday, the greatest crowd that ever saw a sporting event at the Garden—some 21,000—turned out for a heavyweight show.

HEENEY TO RETURN

Renault has not boxed here in years, and Charles, a rugged lanky, but slow plodder, has never risen from the ranks of the trial horses. He claims the heavyweight championship of Europe, but that even has failed to excite fandom. A better fate may be in store for the Garden at its January 16 show, featuring Max Baer, California battler, and the ancient but always willing Tom Heeney.

Tie Results In Mixed Foursomes At Oak Bay Club

In the New Year's Day mixed foursomes competition at the Victoria Golf Club yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. C. Musgrave and A. G. Beasley and Mrs. W. M. Carmichael finished in a tie for first place, both pairs having net scores of 70.

Complete results follow:

	Gr.	Half H'cap	Net
Mr. and Mrs. A. S. C. Musgrave	89	19	70
A. G. Beasley and Mrs. W. M. Carmichael	88	18	70
Mrs. Walter Parry and Peter Parry	86	15	71
H. A. Tomalin and Miss M. Miller	94	20	74
W. L. McIntosh and Mrs. K. C. Allen	88	12½	75½
Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Todd	93	17½	75½
Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ford	94	18	76
Dr. and Mrs. John Macdonell	101	25	76
K. C. Allen and Mrs. J. Hutchinson	85	7½	77½
Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bagley	100	25	79
Mr. and Mrs. Pangman	100	21	79
Desmond Barrett and Marjorie Todd	90	9	81
Charles E. Wilson and Miss Fitz-Gibbon	99	17	82
J. Gray and Miss McBride	107	24½	82½
Don and Mary Campbell	98	14½	83½
Comte Suzannet and Mrs. Charles E. Wilson	106	17	89
W. B. Leach and Miss J. Turner	113	24	89
Mr. and Mrs. Eric Burton	108	16½	91½
W. M. Carmichael and Miss Ker	117	24	93

Tacoma Is Dropped From Coast Hockey; Will Disband Team

Pacific Coast Hockey League Will Complete Season as Three-team League; Tacoma Players Will Be Sold With Other League Clubs Having First Choice; Inability of Tacoma to Provide Arena Causes Action; Lions Win and Draw With Tigers in Double-header Yesterday.

Canadian Press

Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 2.—The Pacific Coast Hockey League will complete this season as a three-team circuit. After playing through an abbreviated double-header with Vancouver Lions at the Arena here yesterday, the Tacoma Tigers, who have no home city to play in, disbanded. The players will be sold, with the other league clubs getting first call on their services. Failure of Tacoma interests to provide a rink for the team to play in caused the breaking up of the team. Tacoma got only one point out of the two games yesterday, Vancouver won the first 3 to 0, while the Tigers managed to hold their adversaries to a 1-1 draw in the second encounter. The games were limited to two periods of twenty minutes each.

Penalties to big Ernie Kenney played a major part in the hard-working Tacoma team's defeat in the first game. Kenney served three penalties in each of the two periods, and all three Vancouver goals were scored while he was off. In the second game Kenney continued to displease the officials, and he was banished three times more, one of his rests being of ten minutes duration. The major banishment came when he opened up a nasty cut on Arnott's face with his stick. Arnott had to have several stitches taken to close the wound.

LIONS ON TOP

Vancouver stepped into first place in the league standing by picking up three points in the two games. Seattle and Portland are tied two points behind the locals.

FIRST GAME

Vancouver—Jackson, Brennan and Arnott, Jerwa, McAdam and Sanderson. Subs., Dunn, Pettinger, Carr and Blythe.

Tacoma—Robertson, Kenny and Redpath, Evans, Osmundson. Subs., Lowe, Aitken, Runge and Leacock.

Officials—Lindsay and Rickey.

SUMMARY—FIRST GAME

First period—1, Vancouver, Pettinger (Carr), 17.52; 2, Vancouver, Jerwa (McAdam), 0.16. Penalties, Sanderson, Kenny (3), Redpath and Brennan.

Second period—3, Vancouver, Arnott, 5.37. Penalties, Brennan, Kenny (3), Runge (2), McAdam.

SECOND GAME

Line-ups:

Vancouver—Jackson, Brennan, Arnott, Jerwa, Sanderson, McAdam. Subs., Pettinger, Blyth, Carr, Dunn and Leacock.

Tacoma — Robertson, Kenny, Redpath, Evans, Williamson, Osmundson. Subs., Lowe, Aitken, Runge.

Referees—Rickey and Lindsay.

Third period—No score. Penalties, Brennan, Kenny 3), Runge (2) McAdam.

SUMMARY—SECOND GAME

First period—1, Vancouver, Dunn (Pettinger), 10.52. Penalties, Kenny, Jerwa.

Second period—2, Tacoma, Lowe (Evans), 12.15. Penalties, Kenny (10 mins.), Arnott, Kenny and Redpath.

Hockey Schedule For This Evening

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Windsor at Buffalo.
ONTARIO LEAGUE
Guelph at Niagara Falls.
Galt at Ottawa.
Stratford at Kitchener.
PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE
Portland at Seattle.

U.S. TENNIS HEAD WOULD PICK YOUTHS

L. B. Bailey Thinks Shields, Wood, Mangin and Sutter Should Seek Davis Cup

Lott, Allison and Van Ryn of 1929 Team Have Married and Entered Business

By Louis B. Bailey, president, United States Lawn Tennis Association

New York, Jan. 2.—If I had to name four United States players to seek the Davis Cup in 1931, I would name Shields, Wood, Mangin and Sutter, since John Doeg already has announced that it is his purpose to devote his time to establishing himself in business.

I would name them now so that they might organize their plans accordingly and on or about June 1 be sent abroad with a non-playing captain, omit training trips, tryouts and avoid, so far as possible, all strain and worry of making the team. Perhaps we would lose but we have been doing this for three years anyway.

1929 MEMBERS MARRY

Three members of last year's Davis Cup team, Lott, Allison and Van Ryn, have recently married and have entered upon business careers and I believe our association should encourage them to concentrate upon their business careers and not tempt them to devote several months of 1931 to the playing of the game on international teams.

In these high standards of amateurism, I am sure that the U.S.L.T.A. will have the closest co-operation of the British Lawn Tennis Association.

VETERANS WIN SOCCER MATCH

In a soccer match played at Spencer's Park yesterday morning a team of veterans from former Oakland School teams defeated an eleven of Oakland married men by a score of 2 to 1 after a keen game.

DONKEY TURNS "DOG" TO CHASE ELUSIVE FOX

Little Gray Ass Provides Huntsmen With Many Hearty Laughs at Tring

Leads Pack of Hounds Merry Chase and Then Takes Part in Real Hunt

Tring, Hertfordshire, Eng., Jan. 2.—A little gray donkey has provided a thrill in the British hunting season and furnished huntsmen with many hearty laughs.

A pack of drag hounds was being exercised near here yesterday when a donkey, straying from a farmyard, suddenly trotted into their midst, brayed loudly and took off across the country at a gallop.

Off went the hounds in pursuit, chasing the ass into a wood. There he turned and faced the dogs, who instead of attacking the strange quarry lay down around him and watched to see what he would do next.

ASS JOINS CHASE

By coincidence a fox suddenly broke over nearby and the hounds, forgetting the donkey, immediately gave chase to the more natural game. Then to the amazement of the huntsmen the ass joined the hounds and galloped after the fox, leaping hedges and ditches in grand style, apparently enjoying the chase as much as the dogs, who seemed to welcome the companionship.

All ended happily. The fox got away. The dogs were recalled by the huntsmen and the donkey was caught and restored to the farmer.

Arcades to Bowl Against Mainland

To-morrow evening at the Olympic Alleys at 8 o'clock a special bowling match will be held with the Arcades, leaders of the Olympic Senior Tenpin League, opposing the Green Lunch Cafe five of Vancouver.

McDUFFER

OF THE MISSAPUTTA GOLF CLUB

BY BARRIE PAYNE

"It was an awful shock to Jim Thomas, who played four years without making a hole in par, when he saw Bobby Jones win his fourth major title in one year. Jim's been wandering around in a daze and mumbling to himself ever since."

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Local All-Stars Rally to Win International Football

Come From Behind To Defeat Seattle Dentists By 3 to 2

Show Complete Reversal of Form in Second Half After Trailing Crack Washington Eleven 2 to 1 at Half-time; Glancy Heads in Winning Goal; Nelson Nets Both of Visitors' Counters; Victoria's Only Goal in First Half Comes From Penalty; Large Crowd Attends.

Displaying a complete reversal of form in the second half when they scored two goals and held their opponents scoreless, the Victoria all-star football team handed the crack Seattle Electro-Dentists, leaders of the Washington State League, a 3 to 2 setback in the exhibition match at the Royal Athletic Park yesterday afternoon. The match was witnessed by one of the largest crowds of the season and the net proceeds will be donated to the Mayor's Unemployment Fund.

The rally of the Victoria eleven in the second half was a big surprise to the fans, who had witnessed the visitors completely dominate the play in the opening forty-five minutes. The Dentists were completely run off their feet in the first twenty minutes of the second half and their snappy passing game displayed in the first half was completely demoralized. The visitors opened the game at a fast clip, gaining a one-goal lead in the first two minutes of play. They also scored their second counter before the Victoria team broke into the score column. Just before the end of the first half Victoria cut the visitors' lead to one goal by netting from a penalty. In the second half the order was reversed, with Victoria doing all the pressing and Seattle the defending.

Carrying the ball into Victoria's goal area from the opening kick-off, Seattle scored when Nelson beat De Costa from inside the penalty area. The opening goal came before the majority of the fans had settled themselves in their seats and was a big surprise. Right after Peers, former member of the Victoria West in the local First Division, at inside left for the Dentists, was through on a pass from Griffiths, but hesitated too long in his shot and Joe Crowe cleared.

Victoria attacked for a few minutes and were awarded a free kick on the right wing on a foul throw-in by "Sandy" Russell. Nurse centred nicely and John Watt sent a bullet shot headed for the lower corner of the net, but Moss managed to get his boot to the ball and cleared. Joe Crowe handled the ball in midfield and then slid to block Griffiths's shot.

SEATTLE TWO UP

Taking a pass from Peers Nelson put Seattle two goals in the lead when his "first timer" found the corner of the net, leaving De Costa helpless. Victoria returned the attack and Mulcahy drove a fast shot over the crossbar. Shortly after Betteridge was nearly through, but lost to Russell at left fullback. Peers was pulled up for a back charge on Watt, but Nurse's effort went behind the goal. On a fine bit of combination play Griffiths and Doyle got through Victoria's defence, but bungled their play, and Joe Crowe rushed in to clear. Doyle shot over the bar from only a few feet out. Victoria tried hard to score their first goal and Pat Mulcahy drove a sizzler past the corner of the goal. De Costa pulled off a nice save when he let Doyle's low shot get away from him and then sprawled lengthwise in his goal to fist the ball clear as Doyle and Griffiths rushed him.

SCORE ON PENALTY

With half-time only five minutes away Victoria scored their first goal. When Glancy attempted to go through himself he was brought down heavily by Perry and Referee McMillan awarded a penalty. Nurse scored easily with a low shot to the corner of the net. Half time found Seattle still leading 2 to 1.

Victoria opened the second half as if they had taken a new lease on life and for the first ten minutes bombarded Jennings, in the Seattle net, with shots from every possible angle. Time after time it looked like the locals would tie the score, but they just couldn't get the ball between the posts. With play waxing hot around the Seattle goal mouth, Williams deliberately kicked the ball over the fence in an effort to relieve the pressure. Glancy found himself with only the goalie to beat, but the referee ruled him offside. Viggers kicked behind with a good chance to score. Joe Crowe, Victoria's long-kicking fullback, was giving the Seattle team plenty of worry with his high lobs into the goal mouth. Crowe turned in one of his best exhibitions this season.

Victoria were not to be denied, and finally succeeded in tying the score when John Watt took a pass from Viggers and beat Jennings with a waist-high shot from a few feet out. The locals continued to press and were awarded a free kick on left wing for Perry holding Mulcahy off the ball. Nurse lofted the ball into the goal mouth and Glancy headed past Jennings for the winning goal. Glancy was through shortly after, but was again pulled up for offside.

For the remainder of the half play was for the most part in centre-field with neither goal being in danger. De Costa had only about three shots to save in the second half.

McMillan refereed.

The teams were as follows:

Victoria—De Costa, Joe Crowe, Leggatt, T. Smith, Nurse, Dobbyn, Viggers, John Watt, Glancy, Betteridge, and Mulcahy.

Seattle — Jennings, Perry, Russell, Moss, Russell, Williams, Overton, Nelson, Griffiths, Peers and Doyle.

ESQUIMALT WILL CLASH WITH JOKERS

Leadership of First Division Soccer Will Be at Stake Tomorrow Afternoon

Match Will Be Played at Beacon Hill; Thistles Will Tackle Victoria City

Two First Division football matches will be played to-morrow afternoon. At the lower Beacon Hill ground Esquimalt, undefeated leaders of the league, will clash with the Jokers, second place occupants, while at the Central Park Saanich Thistles and Victoria City will meet. Both matches will commence at 2.30 o'clock.

When Esquimalt and the Jokers meet the leadership of the league will be at stake. The Dockers are at present in first place only one point ahead of the Jokers. With both teams at full strength a great match is looked for with Esquimalt out to retain their record and the Jokers just as determined to get out in front.

At the Central Park the Thistles will be after a victory and entrench themselves securely in third place in the standings. The city will field their usual line-up and are confident of scoring a victory.

The Saanich Thistles' team will be as follows: Bridges, Armitage, Newman, Williams, Joe Crowe, Jim Crowe, McMillan, Essler, Viggers, King and Minnis.

RUGBY

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MUCH IN DEMAND

Rumors that Col. Hammond intends to make a clean-up seem to be justified with the report that there will be $200,000 available for the reconstruction of the New York Americans and the Montreal Maroons. To start things off the Gotham team made an offer of $10,000 to the Chi-Hawks for Chuck Gardiner, but Major McLaughlin sent back a "no sale" ticket. Early in the season the tip went around to watch the Hawks. The Chicago owners sent all over Canada and the United States for material and the resulting team is worrying the other members of the league. The great forward line of the Chicago Hawks is composed mainly of western lads who are noted for their speed, and if the pace is kept up the Stanley Cup series will be a battle of speed and condition.

SOUTH AFRICA SCORE 513 IN FIRST INNINGS

Home Cricketers Put on Great Total Against Touring English Team in Test Match

England Scores 98 For Loss of One Wicket; Many of English Players Laid Up

Capetown, South Africa, Jan. 2.—The English team playing South Africa in the cricket test match here is being decimated by casualties. George Duckworth, the regular wicket keeper, yesterday tore a ligament in his hand and could not play to-day. His place was taken by Wally Hammond, who is himself suffering from a septic toe. Sandha, who was in an automobile accident some time ago, has been found to be suffering from a fractured ankle bone and will not be able to take any further part in the tour.

South Africa continued their first innings to-day and built up a great score of 513 for eight wickets declared.

England had scored 98 for the loss of one wicket when play ceased for the day. Wyatt scored 40 before being bowled by McMillan. Hammond, wearing a soft shoe on account of a septic toe, and with Farrimond running for him, was 43 not out and Leyland 12, extras accounting for the other three runs.

Scores:

SOUTH AFRICA
First Innings

Mitchell, b Tate	123
Sidele, c Chapman, b White	141
Nupen, b Tate	12
Taylor, c White, b Leyland	117
Catterall, b Tate	58
Cameron, c Peebles, b White	26
Balaskas, c Turnbull, b Leyland	0
Deane, b Leyland	7
McMillan, not out	7
Vincent, not out	21
Extras	21
Total (eight wickets)	513

Fall of wickets—One for 260, two for 280, three for 329, four for 447, five for 473, six for 479, seven for 502, eight for 506.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W
Tate	43	13	79	3
Hammond	10	2	27	0
Voce	33	11	95	0
Peebles	28	2	95	0
White	49	15	10	2
Leyland	30	6	91	3
Wyatt	2	0	4	0

Harold Webster Wins Road Race

Hamilton, Ont., Jan. 2.—For the second successive year Harold Webster of the Hamilton Olympic Club won first place in the annual New Year's Day ten-mile road race. With yesterday's victory Webster managed to clip twenty-six seconds from his previous time of fifty-four minutes and forty-seven seconds. Wilf McCluskey of Toronto was runner-up to Webster.

Don George Wins Wrestling Match From Montrealer

Holyoke, Mass., Jan. 2.—Don George, former Michigan athlete, recognized in some states as world's wrestling champion, defeated Eugene Ledoux of Montreal, in straight falls here yesterday evening. He won the first in twenty-two seconds, and the second in forty-two minutes.

"Y" IN FINE VICTORY OVER DUNCAN TEAM

Association Youngsters Hand Crack Up-island Footballers a 2 to 0 Defeat

James and Dixon Score For Victoria Team; Enter Second Round of Davis Cup

In one of the finest games played here this season the local Y.M.C.A. junior socces eleven sent the fast stepping Duncan team down to a 2 to 0 defeat at Beacon Hill yesterday morning, winning the right to enter the second round of the Davis Cup playoffs. The game was witnessed by a large crowd.

For the first fifteen minutes of the game the ball seesawed back and forth between the two goals. Victoria then broke away and on a pretty passing attack Woodley and James drew Adam Jimmie, Duncan goalie, out of his net, and James booted in a fast daisy-cutter for Victoria's first goal. The "Y" pressed considerably for the next few minutes, Gelling and James rattling the crossbars with fast shots. Duncan returned the play and had Bourne, "Y" goalie, saving from all angles. The "Y" had possession of the ball as the half time whistle blew.

Victoria opened the second half with a burst of speed which staggered the Up-islanders. The local squad smashed in corner after corner, and booted the ball over the net, but the stalwart Adam Jimmie kept his goal clear. At this point a slight rain which had been falling increased into a downpour which slowed up the game considerably. Five minutes later McKinnon shot a pass to Gelling, who in turn slapped the ball to Dixon. This lad shot, hitting the cross bar and on the rebound Woodley received the ball and shot the ball carroming off Harry Elliot into the goal for the final score of the day.

MISSES OPEN GOAL

With the rain abating a little, play speeded up, and the Duncan goalie went to his knees several times in some splendid saves. Gelling missed an open goal, shooting high over the net.

Play now centred around midfield, and Alex Johnnie shot in a fast one which Bourne cleared with difficulty. On the rebound with nobody to beat, Thorne hit the crossbar. Again in taking a fast shot Thorne booted a fast ball to Bourne who drove across the goal south to save. Victoria was pressing hard at the final whistle.

Windsor handled the whistle.

The line-up follow:

Duncan — Adam Jimmie; Alphonse Johnnie and Harry Elliott; Dominick Joe, Thomas Billie, Elliot; Sylvester, Thorne, R. Thorne, Williams and Alex Johnnie.

Y.M.C.A.—Bourne; McKenzie and Brown; Hill, Owen and McKinnon; Woodley, Bailey, Dixon, Janes and Windsor.

Negro Fined For Playing Golf In Georgia Cemetery

Macon, Ga., Jan. 2.—Diminutive golf is perhaps not as ubiquitous now as it once was, but George Anderson Jr., negro, was brought before police court for playing it in the Rosehill Cemetery.

Policeman Pat Lord testified he saw Anderson teeing off from a grave with a flower cup as No. 1 hole. Tombstones served as hazards. Several negroes were playing, Lord said, but the others ran and were not caught.

"Two dollars green fees" was the verdict of Judge M. Felton Hatcher.

HOOP GAMES AT KEATING

Three Victoria Teams Will Oppose Suburban Quintettes This Evening

Basketball will start again in the suburban districts to-night when three Victoria hoop squads journey to Keating to try conclusions with the Saanichton fives. The feature fame of the card will find the Knights of Pythias, present leaders o the intermediate "A" division playing the Keating senior "B" quintette in what should prove a fast game.

The home five are slight favorites to come through with a win, as they badly defeated the Hustlers who in turn have made the Knights step hard.

The other two games will find Keating women matched against the Orioles, local junior team, while the Sons of Canada will try conclusions with home senior "C" five.

Bob Whyte's Orioles, who will be stepping out of their class when they take on the Keating women, are a fast travelling squad of young women, and are capable of giving many heavier and older squads a good game.

The opening struggle between the Sons of Canada and Keating senior "C" will give the fans a chance to compare the calibre of ball played in the senior "B" and "C" division of the City League. The Keating boys are at present undefeated in the "C" division, while the Sons are still very much in the running for "B" honors.

The first game is scheduled to start at 8 o'clock.

R. Fromson and Miss Greig were the winners of the mixed foursome competition at the Macaulay Point Golf Club yesterday with a gross score of 97, which their handicap of twenty-one and one-half reduced to a net 75½.

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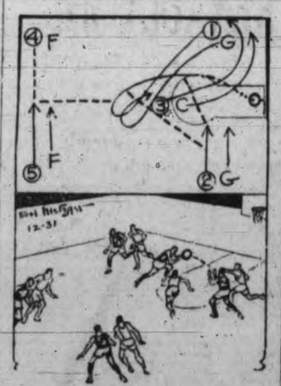
Alabama Defeats Washington State In East-west Tilt

Pasadena, Jan. 2.—Alabama's long passing attack completely demoralized Washington State's famed defence yesterday and the crimson tide swept its way to a 24 to 0 triumph, in the sixteenth annual Rose Tournament football game, before 70,000 people. Rain fell intermittently throughout the struggle.

France Triumphs Over Ireland In Rugby Match 3-0

Paris, France, Jan. 2.—France, who made a strong bid for the international Rugby championship last season, only to miss tieing England for first place when beaten by Wales in the last game, started off on the right foot towards the title yesterday when they beat Ireland by 3 to 0. France won by a solitary try, which came as the result of a well thought out and cleverly executed plan. France played the stronger game in the first half on a heavy pitch, which did not lend itself to orthodox three-quarter play.

How Iowa Carries Out Set Play



By SOL METZGER

Here is Iowa all ready for a set play, and in orthodox basketball formation. Left guard No. 4 has the ball, and he passes it to right guard, No. 5, rushing toward him near the centre of the court. Meantime, left forward, No. 1, beats it diagonally to the rear and toward No. 5, taking a swift pass from No. 5.

At this moment you'll see the right forward of the Cornhuskers, No. 2, start straight across court toward the foul line, an area already cleared for him by the centre, No. 3, taking himself and his immediate opponent into the left corner.

No. 1 whips a pass to No. 2 at this moment, then reverses his direction, rushes at top speed for the basket and receives the ball from No. 2, No. 1 dribbles to the basket, and shoots. There is a variation to this attack that I'll illustrate to-morrow.

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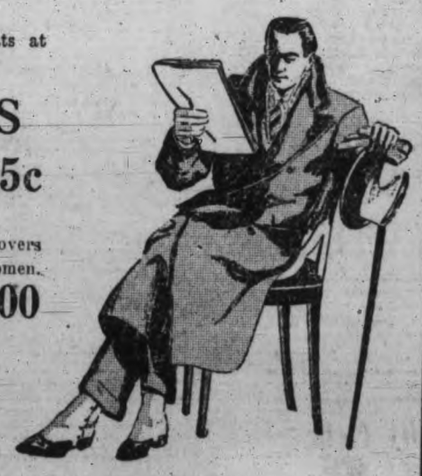

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AORANGI HAD ROUGH TRIP FROM SYDNEY

But Following Winds on Voyage Here Brought Liner in Ahead of Time

"Strong following winds, whiel they gave the ship a severe tossing about, helped us along considerably during the last three or four days and brought us into port nearly a full day ahead of schedule," stated Commander R. Crawford, master of the Canadian-Australasian motor liner Aorangi, which docked here yesterday shortly after noon from Sydney, Auckland, Suva and Honolulu and proceeded to Vancouver at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Capt. Crawford reported a rough trip between Suva and Honolulu when the speed of the ship was cut to a minimum as great seas were battled. Everything movable was securely fastened down, and the passengers remained in their rooms until they got their sealegs.

The Aorangi brought in only a small list of passengers yesterday. In the first cabin were thirty-nine, in the second the same number and in the third class thirty-one. Several passengers from all classes left the liner here and proceeded later in the day to Seattle. A number of those continuing to Vancouver left that city in the evening by train for the Atlantic seaboard to join a liner for Europe. Passengers reported a gay trip, in spite of rough weather and a small passenger list. Christmas and New Year's Eve were both celebrated at sea. Christmas Day about 300 miles from Honolulu and New Year's Eve just off the West Coast of Vancouver Island. A gay time was had on both occasions, the New Year's Eve celebration being a happy one the night before the ship reached port.

LIGHT CARGO

There was only a light cargo aboard the ship yesterday, which was no doubt largely responsible for the terrific buffeting the ship got by the elements out on the Pacific. When she docked here she was riding high in the water with a large part of her red below-water line showing. There was only about 1,000 tons of general aboard, most of which was butter. In all there were 10,500 boxes of New Zealand butter aboard for Canadian distribution. For Victoria the ship had about twenty tons of general.

Among the passengers aboard the liner were R. H. Goodwin, of Nobles Expolsives Limited of New Zealand, on a business and pleasure trip to this continent; E. Kirsch, of General Motors Limited of Australia en route to Detroit; H. B. Isaacs, well-known English pianist, en route through Canada to England after a concert tour of Australia and New Zealand; Miss E. Waltz of Glencoe, Illinois, returning to her home after a pleasure trip to the Southern Dominions; W. R. Nairn, director of Penfolds Wines of Australia, en route to England on business and pleasure; Rev. W. K. Adams of Weymouth, Nova Scotia, returning from a visit to Australia with Mrs. Adams; B. H. Goodman, with his sister, Miss P. H. Goodman, well-known Auckland residents, on a visit to Canada and the United States; Dr. R. S. Goodwin, a well-known Vancouver dentist, returning from a short trip to Honolulu, and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Garland of New York City returning from Australia.

HUGE NEW SIGN GRACES HARBOR

Adding much to the brightness of the harbor by night and lending color and life to the city, a huge new electric sign has been erected over the Canadian National Railway dock and sheds in the Inner Harbor, immediately behind the Post Office Building. The words Canadian National now appear every night in great red letters. The sign is visible from Esquimalt and from the Causeway and sheds a red glow over the waters of the harbor.

With the great sign on the Canadian Pacific docks, erected some months ago, the harbor is now aglow after darkness. The C.P.R. sign is done in yellow and reads Canadian Pacific. The sign faces the Empress Hotel and the Causeway.

EMMA ALEXANDER HAD GOOD VOYAGE

Because of splendid weather all the way up the coast, the Pacific Steamship Company's liner Emma Alexander docked at the Rithet piers yesterday evening at 8.15 o'clock from San Diego, Los Angeles and San Francisco. She proceeded to Seattle at midnight, docking in the Sound port at 8 o'clock this morning.

Among the passengers who disembarked here from the liner were: Miss Marian A. Shaffer, A. D. Sykes, Miss Mary S. Troyer, Bert Walker, H. B. Walker, Mrs. W. B. Walker, Miss Naomi Walker, Mrs. A. B. Woodward, Mis Mary Woodward, H. B. Armstrong, L. J. Antonsen, W. R. Baker, Miss K. V. Blakemore, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Coffs, Miss Miriam Coffs, Mrs. L. J. Dunn, Eric J. Dunn, Mrs. C. M. Endicott, Charles R. Gordon, Thomas Gubbins, E. A. Hoyhon, A. L. Jackson, C. J. Jones, Mrs. P. Miller, Frank McQueen, Mrs. Mona Russel, Miss Frances Russell, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bendasen, M. L. Dennison and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Van Horn.

U.S. MARINES HUNTING BAND IN NICARAGUA

Managua, Nicaragua, Jan. 2.—United States marine detachments combed the hills and jungles near Achuapa, northern Nicaragua, to-day seeking the band of insurgents who Wednesday morning annihilated a patrol of ten marines in an ambush between Ocotal and Apli.

Eight of the patrol of ten men, who were repairing a newly-erected telephone line, were killed by the Nicaraguans, who were believed to be commanded by Miguel Ortez, a lieutenant of Gen. Agustino Sandino. Two remaining members of the patrol were seriously injured but may live.

The insurgents are believed to have fled over the frontier into Honduras.

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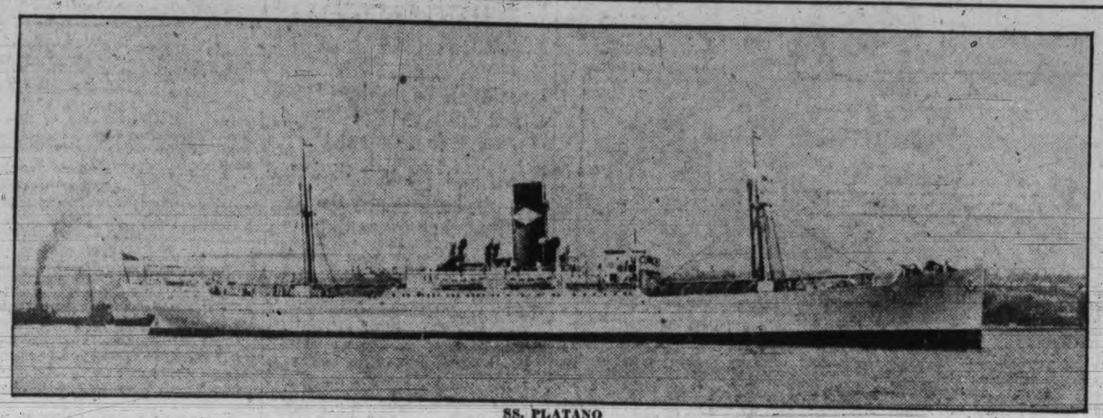

SS. PLATANO

recently built by Messrs. Cammell Laird and Company, of Birkenhead, the same firm that built the new Canadian National steamers Prince Henry, Prince David and Prince Robert. The Platano is a turbo-electrically propelled fruit ship and will be used to carry fruit cargoes to England from various parts of the world.

Seek to Find Way To Land Airplanes Safely in Fog

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times

London.—Experiments in taking off, flying and landing aircraft in dense fogs, are to be carried out at the Royal Aircraft establishment at Farnborough. It is hoped that these will overcome the remaining difficulties, and that afterwards Imperial Airways will put the system to practical test on sections of the India air route.

The airplane is an Avro, the same as was used for the five landings made last year, when the scheme was first suggested. It has the usual instruments, and in addition a gyroscopic pitch and yaw indicator and a "ground proximeter." The pitch and yaw indicator fulfills the guiding function of the horizon when the airplane is in the fog, and the pilot can adjust the altitude of his aircraft by its aid with almost the same ease as with the aid of the horizon. A small white disc moves about behind a glass instrument face. In the centre of the face is a black spot, and the airplane is in the correct altitude when spot and disc coincide.

The ground proximeter consists of a card thirteen feet long hung below the aircraft with a weight on the end. When the weight touches the ground a trigger mechanism is released and a red light shows in the pilot's cockpit. The only other apparatus is a small balloon like an observation balloon. The balloon is let up above the fog in a predetermined position.

The airplane takes off and climbs up through the fog until its pilot can see the balloon. In air transport he would be brought to this position by the aid of wireless. He then sets his aeroplane at a predetermined gliding angle and speed, and maintaining this angle and speed with the aid of the pitch and yaw indicator and the course with the aid of the compass, he glides into the fog. He maintains this glide at constant speed and angle until the red light of the ground proximeter flashes, when he pulls the control stick back and flattens out.

This system of fog landing does not deal with the problem of forced landing in fog. No means for enabling the pilot to land safely in these circumstances has yet been suggested.

PILOT'S LOOK OUT

Illinois passed St. Helens 1.10 a.m.

Glenmore passed Victoria, outbound, 12.45 a.m.

Pacific Pioneer passed Victoria, bound Vancouver from England, 5.45 a.m.

Hauraki passed Victoria, bound Vancouver, from Australia, 7.20 a.m.

Princess Maquinna at Clo-ose, northbound from Victoria, 8 a.m.

Parthenia due Victoria from United Kingdom Saturday a.m.

Since 1866 the South African fields have yielded diamonds of the total value of $1,375,000,000, an average of $21,825,397 a year, which is about 98 per cent of the world production.

WEATHER MEN'S WORK COVERS ALL CANADA

High and Low Pressure Areas Watched Every Day of Year For Forecasts

Canadian Press

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—The atmosphere has its bulls and bears, and they battle as do their fellows of the stock exchange, while the public puts up with the results, though in both cases with much grumbling. The bulls of the air are the areas of high pressure which bring dry, cool and settle weather, and the bears are the low pressure areas, bringing unsettled, cloudy or rainy days. The people who move beneath might be turmed the lambs.

Some such impression as this may be gained by a visit to a meterological office, such as the one presided over in Vancouver by E. B. Shearman, who reveals much enlightening information to make plain the weather man's doings and language.

ALWAYS IN COMPETITION

On the pressure of the atmosphere and the activities of the bulls, or high pressure areas, and the bears, or low areas, depend such things as wind, temperature, humidity, clouds and rain. They are continually in competition, and it is the forecaster's job to know which will become dominant in a given area. The closer they get together the more startling the results. When they got too close, destructive winds may be looked for.

Weather records are kept at nearly 1,000 points in Canada. There are three forecast stations—at Victoria, Winnipeg and Toronto. At 5 a.m. and 5 p.m., Pacific standard time, observers from one end of Canada to the other send in their reports. There is also an arrangement with the United States weather bureau whereby all reports are exchanged.

LINES DRAWN

When all the messages have been entered on the weather map, the points having equal pressure are connected by lines, called isobars. There then appear well defined areas, circular, oblong and wedge-shaped. These are the highs and lows. Similarly, temperature readings are connected by what are known as isotherms.

The forecaster must now decide, with numerous considerations in mind, the probable path and the rate of travel of the high and low areas, and make his decision.

A forecast may fail for several reasons. Storms may be deflected by an unexpected stronger control developing. Slow moving areas which at times become practically stagnant, add to the difficulties.

The coast offers unusual problems, because of the influence of the Pacific ocean and the difficulty of charting its immense expanse. Ships at sea make daily reports, but these mostly come from the relatively narrow trade lanes.

SHIPS SPEEDED

In its marine phase especially is weather forcasting of very high commercial value. Ship masters mark out their courses with consideration of the storm areas and days of steaming or sailing, and a great deal of money are saved through the knuowledge gained from the weather maps.

SEVERAL SHIPS DUE HERE FROM ORIENT AND U.K.

Parthenia Expected To-morrow; Kinderdyk Due Monday; Heian Maru Coming

Empress of Canada and President Grant Sail From Yokohama; Due Next Week

Many ships from various world ports and flying the flags of several countries are now en route to this port and should dock within the next week or ten days. The first ship will be here to-morrow from the United Kingdom. This is the Donaldson freighter Parthenia, which is scheduled to arrive from London and Liverpool with about seventy-five tons of general cargo for discharge at this port.

A. E. Shanks of Rithet Consolidated Limited, local agents for the Donaldson Line, has not received word as to when the ship will dock here, but she is still expected to-morrow.

The N.Y.K. motorship Heian Maru, third and last of three new liners for the North Pacific run between Victoria, Vancouver, Seattle and Orient ports, is now approaching this port from China and Japan. She is scheduled to dock here next Wednesday. A. H. Hebb, local agent, was this morning advised that the Heian is bringing twenty-two tons of general cargo for Victoria, 161 tons for Vancouver and 1,980 tons for Seattle. There are five passengers aboard for Victoria and twenty-two passengers for Seattle.

Two other transpacific liners are now en route here from ports in the Philippine Islands, China and Japan, with passengers and cargo for Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle. They are the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada which sailed from Yokohama yesterday and which will arrive here January 8 and the American Mail liner President Grant which sailed from Yokohama on Monday of this week and which will arrive here the same day as the Empress of Canada. From Victoria the Canada will proceed to Vancouver and the President Grant to Seattle.

Because there were no passengers aboard for Victoria and only a very small cargo, the Furness motorliner Pacific Pioneer passed by Victoria early this morning inbound from the United Kingdom by way of the Panama Canal and California ports to Vancouver. Another vessel from Europe now en route here is the Holland-America freighter Kinderdyk which should dock at the Rithet piers here on Monday with cargo for discharge at this port.

The O.S.K. steamer Hawaii Maru is still alongside the Rithet piers loading 650,000 feet of Vancouver Island timber for ports in the Far East. She arrived here Wednesday and expects to clear early to-morrow afternoon for Vancouver to complete her cargo for the Orient. She will sail across the Pacific early next week.

The only ship scheduled to call here to-morrow is the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Asia, which will arrive here about 4 o'clock in the afternoon on her way from Vancouver to the Hawaiian Islands, Japan, China and the Philippine Islands. She will put to sea as soon as local passengers, light cargo and mails have been taken aboard. The Asia is taking out a good list of travelers including many people who will spend holidays in the Hawaiian Islands.

C.N.R. CHIEF GAVE MESSAGE

Talked on Air Yesterday Evening in Optimistic Vein For Coming Year

Montreal, Jan. 2.—Speaking last evening to thousands of officers and employees in all parts of Canada and to a vast audience of the general public in five time zones by means of a transcontinental hook-up, Sir Henry W. Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, brought a New Year's greeting that was full of confidence for the coming year.

The world, he said, was passing through one of the inevitable periods of depression which it suffers from time to time, but, he declared, that difficult as the present situation was, it was vastly better than that of 1920, 1921, 1922. "Are we downhearted," he asked. "Certainly not. We are not downhearted with respect to anything. The troubles of to-day become the jokes of to-morrow. That is the indominable Canadian national spirit and 'failure' is not found in our dictionary."

The occasion of Sir Henry's address was the programme celebrating the seventh anniversary of Canadian National radio broadcasting. It originated in CNRM, Montreal, and was carried by means of sixteen National and associated stations across the Dominion from Halifax, N.S., to Vancouver, B.C. W. D. Robb, vice-president, under whose jurisdiction radio comes, delivered a short address in French. The musical part of the broadcast consisted of solos by Joan Elwes, popular English soprano, and Henri Pontbriano, tenor and instrumental numbers by an orchestra under the leadership of J. J. Gachier.

Spoken By Wireless

January 1, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

ELMWORTH, Vancouver to Shanghai, 1,450 miles west of Cape Flattery.

VARANGER, China to San Francisco, 1,471 miles from San Francisco.

CHOKOH MARU, Yokohama to Vancouver, 916 miles from Vancouver.

ARABIA MARU, Yokohama to Vancouver, 50.09 north; 148.40 west.

FLORIDA MARU, Japan to San Francisco, 1,836 miles from San Francisco.

GOLDEN ROD, Sydney to Honolulu, 100 miles south of Honolulu.

INDIEN, Shanghai to Vancouver, 500 miles from Estevan.

HAKUBASAN MARU, bound San Francisco, 1,836 miles from San Francisco.

PHOBOS, bound San Pedro, 2,822 miles from San Pedro.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE

Deep Sea Movements

TO ARRIVE

PACIFIC PIONEER—United Kingdom, January 2.

HEIAN MARU—China and Japan, January 7.

EMPRESS OF CANADA — Philippine Islands, China and Japan, January 9.

PRESIDENT GRANT—Philippine Islands, China and Japan, January 9.

PACIFIC ENTERPRISE—United Kingdom, January 17.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND — Philippine Islands, China and Japan, January 23.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Philippine Islands, China and Japan, January 24.

YOKOHAMA MARU—China and Japan, January 27.

PACIFIC PRESIDENT—United Kingdom January 31.

TO SAIL

EMPRESS OF ASIA — Honolulu, Japan, China, Philippines, January 3.

HIKAWA MARU (from Vancouver), China and Japan, January 7.

AORANGI—Honolulu, Suva, Auckland and Sydney, January 7.

PACIFIC PIONEER (from Vancouver) — United Kingdom, January 10.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY — Japan, China and Philippine Islands, January 10.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—Honolulu, Japan, China and Philippines, January 17.

HEIAN MARU (from Vancouver)—China and Japan, January 21.

PACIFIC ENTERPRISE (from Vancouver) —United Kingdom, January 24.

PRESIDENT GRANT—Japan, China and Philippine Islands, January 24.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Honolulu, Japan, China and Philippine Islands, January 31.

Coastwise Movements

SEATTLE-VICTORIA

Prince Rupert arrives Victoria daily at 7 a.m.

Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria daily 3.45 p.m.; arrives Seattle 8.30 p.m.

Princess Kathleen arrives Victoria daily 1.15 p.m.

Prince Rupert leaves Victoria daily at 6.45 p.m.

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER

Prince David leaves Victoria at 8.30 a.m. daily.

Princess Kathleen leaves Victoria daily 2 p.m.

Princess Joan or Princess Elizabetir leaves Victoria daily at midnight.

Princess Charlotte arrives Victoria daily at 3 p.m.

Prince Rupert arrives Victoria at 5.45 p.m. daily.

Princess Joan or Princess Elizabeth arrives daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES

Iroquois leaves Victoria daily at 10.15 a.m.

Iroquois arrives Victoria daily 9 a.m.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER

Leave Nanaimo daily at 7 a.m. and 2.15 p.m.; arrive Vancouver daily at 9.15 a.m. and 4.30 p.m.

Leaves Vancouver daily at 10 p.m. and 3.45 p.m.; arrive Nanaimo daily at 12.15 p.m. and 8 p.m.

PRINCE RUPERT-ALASKA

Princess Norah leaves Vancouver 9 p.m., Dec. 11, Dec. 25, Jan. 8 and Jan. 22.

Prince George leaves Vancouver every Monday evening for Stewart, Prince Rupert and way points.

WEST COAST

Princess Maquinna will sail on the first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month at 11 p.m.

SALT SPRING ISLAND

Daily Including Sunday

Ferry Cy Peck leaves Fulford Harbor 8.15 a.m. and 3 p.m.; leaves Swartz Bay 9.30 a.m. and 4.15 p.m.

Vessel Movements

Seattle, Jan. 1.—Arrived: Cricket, Los Angeles; Pacific Exporter, Manchester; Maliko, Tacoma; Amerika, Copenhagen; Diamond Cement, View Cove. Sailed: Caddopeak, William Isom, Los Angeles; Willpolo, Philadelphia; Delight, New Orleans.

Portland, Jan. 1.—Arrived: Ms. Hakenesan Maru, Yokohama; Jefferson Myers, Philadelphia; Edward Luckenbach, Boston; San Clemente, Philadelphia; Benmaedhui, Puget Sound. Sailed: Charles L. Wheeler Jr., San Francisco.

Tacoma, Jan. 1.—Arrived: Willpolo, Baltimore. Sailed: Maliko, Honolulu; Olympia, Dairen.

San Francisco, Jan. 1.—Arrived: Chichibu Maru, Hongkong; Wapama, San Pedro; Lumina, Hull; Ventura, Sydney. Sailed: Stanstar, Cathwood, Admiral Dewey, San Pedro; Admiral Watson, Portland; Admiral Chase, Seattle.

Arrived

New York, Dec. 31.—India Arrow, Alsonquin, San Pedro; Siemmestad, Port Alberni.

Baltimore, Dec. 31. — Kekoskee, Long Beach.

Philadelphia, Dec. 31.—Harry Luckenbach, Seattle.

Shanghai, Dec. 30.—Irisbank, San Francisco.

Gothenburg, Dec. 24. — Annie Johnson, Vancouver.

Sailed

Yokohama, Dec. 30.—Taiyo Maru, San Francisco.

New York, Dec. 31.—Montanan, San Francisco.

Savannah, Dec. 31.—Dorothy Cahill, San Francisco.

Galveston, Dec. 31.—Abron, San Pedro.

Baltimore, Dec. 31.—Pacific Cedar, San Pedro; Munmystic, San Francisco.

Panama Canal, Dec. 31.—Passed, bound west: Onandaga, Chester for San Francisco; Steel Mariner, Baltimore for San Francisco; Este, New York for San Francisco; American, New York for San Pedro; West Ira: Rio Janeiro for Seattle; Pacific Enterprise, Manchester for San Pedro.

MAIL SERVICES

Prairie Air Mails

The service is daily, including Sunday, and the following schedule is observed:

WINNIPEG-CALGARY
(Daily, 770 Miles)

Westbound (Read down)		Eastbound (Read up)
7.30 p.m. Lv. ..	Winnipeg ... Ar.	11.15 a.m
10.10 p.m. Lv.	Regina .... Lv.	7.00 a.m
11.40 p.m. Lv. ..	Moose Jaw .. Lv.	6.10 a.m
1.45 a.m. Lv. ..	Medicine Hat.. Lv.	3.30 a.m.
3.30 a.m. Ar. ..	Calgary .... Lv.	1.30 a.m.

REGINA-MOOSE JAW-EDMONTON
(Daily, 482 Miles)

8.15 a.m. Lv.	Regina .... Ar.	5.40 p.m.
6.10 a.m. Lv. ..	Moose Jaw .. Lv.	5.10 p.m.
7.50 a.m. Lv. ..	Saskatoon .. Lv.	3.25 p.m
9.50 a.m. Lv. ..	N. Battleford. Lv.	2.25 p.m
11.30 a.m. Ar. ..	Edmonton .. Lv.	12.00 noon

Connection will be made by mails leaving Victoria at 2 p.m. daily, closing at 1.15 p.m. Train and airplane arrivals will be as shown in the following schedule, indicating gains in transmission to the places shown:

BY TRAIN ALL THE WAY

Lv. Victoria (boat)	1.15 p.m.	Mon.
Ar. Chimney	12.50 a.m.	Wed.
Ar. Medicine Hat	7.15 a.m.	Wed.
Ar. Moose Jaw	4.45 p.m.	Wed.
Ar. Regina	7.05 p.m.	Wed.
Ar. Saskatoon	6.30 a.m.	Thur
Ar. North Battleford	11.05 a.m.	Thur
Ar. Edmonton	7.30 a.m.	Wed.
Ar. Winnipeg	8.15 a.m.	Thur

BY TRAIN AND PLANE

Lv. Victoria (boat)	1.15 p.m.	Mon
Ar. Calgary (train)	12.50 a.m.	Wed.
Ar. Medicine Hat (plane)..	3.10 a.m.	Wed.
Ar. Moose Jaw (plane)	5.50 a.m.	Wed.
Ar. Regina (plane)	6.40 a.m.	Wed.
Ar. Saskatoon (plane)	7.20 a.m.	Wed
Ar. North Battleford (plane)	8.30 a.m.	Wed
Ar. Winnipeg (plane)	11.15 a.m.	Wed.

Gulf Islands Mails

Galiano—Mails close: Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11.15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, Thursday, 6.45 a.m. Mails due: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday, p.m.; Friday, Saturday, 7.15 a.m.

Salt Spring Island—Mails close: Sunday, Wednesday, Friday 11.15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, 6.45 a.m. Mails due: Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, p.m.; Wednesday, Friday, 7.15 a.m.

Mayne—Mails close: Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11.15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m. Mails due: Monday, Tuesday, Saturday, p.m.; Friday Saturday, 7.15 a.m.

Pender Island—Mails close: Sunday, Friday, 11.15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Thursday, 6.45 a.m. Mails due: Monday, Tuesday, Saturday, p.m.; Saturday, 7.15 a.m.

Port Washington—Mails close: Sunday Wednesday, Friday, 11.15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m. Mails due: Monday, Saturday, p.m.; Wednesday Friday, 7.15 a.m.

Galiano—Mails close: Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11.15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m. Mails due: Monday, Saturday, p.m.; Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, 7.15 a.m.

Beaver Point—Mails close: Monday, 6.45 a.m.; Friday, 11.15 p.m. Mails due: Tuesday Saturday, p.m.

Fulford Harbor—Mails close: Monday, Thursday 6.45 a.m.; Friday, 11.15 p.m. Mails due: Tuesday, Saturday, p.m.; Saturday, 7.15 a.m.

Saturna, South Pender—Mails close: Monday, Thursday, 6.45 a.m. Mails due: Tuesday, p.m.; Saturday, 7.15 a.m.

Mayne, North Galiano—Mails close: Monday, 6.45 a.m. Mails due: Tuesday, p.m.

West Coast Mails

Mails close at Victoria at 10 p.m. 1, 11, 21 each month for Ahousat, Banfield, Cachalot, Ceepeecee, Clayoquot, Ecole, Clo-oose, Estevan Point, Hecate, Kakawis, Kildonan, Frev, Queen's Cove, San Mateo, Sachart, Tofino, Ucluelet. Mails due at Victoria seven days later.

Mails close at Victoria at 10 p.m. 21st of each month only for Centre Island. Mails due at Victoria seven days later.

Mails close at Victoria at 5.30 a.m. 2, 12, 22 each month excepting when Sunday for Cachalot, Clayoquot, Estevan Point, Kakawis, Kyoquot, Tofino. Mails due at Victoria seven days later.

Mails close at Victoria at 8.30 a.m. 22nd of each month except Sunday for Centre Island. Mails due at Victoria seven days later.

Mails close at Victoria at 8.30 a.m. 5, 15, 25 each month except when Sunday for Clo-oose, Port Renfrew. Mails due at Victoria seven days later.

Mails close at Victoria at 1 p.m. Tuesday and Friday for Holberg, Jeune Landing, Port Alice, Quatsino. Mails due at Victoria Tuesday and Friday at 7.15 a.m.

Mails close at Victoria at 8.30 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for San Mateo, Banfield, Ecole and Kildonan. Mails due at Victoria Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 4.30 p.m.

Transpacific Mails

CHINA AND JAPAN

Close 4 p.m., Jan. 3, Empress of Asia; arrive Yokohama Jan. 18; Shanghai, Jan. 23; Honkong, Jan. 26.

Close 11.15 p.m. Jan. 6, Hikawa Maru, via Vancouver; arrive Yokohama Jan. 20.

Close 4 p.m., Jan. 10, Pres. McKinley; arrive Yokohama Jan. 23; Shanghai, Jan. 27; Hongkong, Jan. 30.

Close, 1.15 p.m., Jan. 12, Protesilaus, via Vancouver; arrive Yokohama Jan. 28.

Close 4 p.m., Jan. 17, Empress of Canada; arrive Yokohama Jan. 31; Shanghai, Feb. 3; Honkong, Feb. 6.

Close 11.15 p.m., Jan. 21, Heian Maru, via Vancouver; arrive Yokohama Feb. 3.

Close 4 p.m. Jan. 24, President Grant; arrive Yokohama Feb. 6; Shanghai, Feb. 10; Honkong, Feb. 13.

Close 3.15 p.m. Jan. 28, Arizona Maru, via Seattle; arrive Yokohama Feb. 13.

Close 4 p.m., Jan. 31, Empress of Russia; arrive Yokohama Feb. 13.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

Close 5 p.m. Jan. 7, Aorangi; arrive Auckland Jan. 26; Sydney, Jan. 31.

Close 11.15 p.m. Jan. 12, Ventura; arrive Sydney Feb. 5. Carries mail for Fiji.

Close 11.15 p.m. Jan. 18, Makura; arrive Wellington Feb. 9; Sydney, Feb. 14.

British Mails

Close 1.15 Jan. 2, Ss. Minnedosa.

Close 3.15 p.m. Jan. 4, Ss. Majestic.

Mail intended for transmission via New York must be so marked. When forwarded by air over U.S. lines, mail sent via New York can be posted two days later than the dates indicated above.

Mails for West Indies generally will close at 1.15 p.m. Dec. 31, and for Jamaica at 1.15 p.m. Dec. 31 and Jan. 2.

Tide Table

January

Date	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
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3	....	....	11.40	10.4	20.40	0.4	....	....
4	....	....	12.29	10.5	21.20	0.1	....	....
5	....	....	13.00	10.2	22.00	0.1	....	....
6	7.30	3.9	9.35	8.7	13.46	9.8	22.43	0.6
7	7.39	5.9	10.56	8.3	14.40	9.1	23.25	1.3
8	7.55	8.8	12.19	7.6	15.40	8.1	....	....
9	0.09	2.4	8.14	8.8	12.40	6.6	17.05	7.1
10	0.46	3.5	8.30	8.9	14.50	5.6	19.30	6.2
11	1.20	4.8	8.50	9.0	16.05	4.5	23.00	6.2
12	1.27	6.0	9.10	9.2	17.05	3.5	....	....
13	....	....	9.29	9.4	17.55	2.6	....	....
14	....	....	9.50	9.6	18.40	1.8	....	....
15	....	....	10.15	9.8	19.25	1.3	....	....
16	....	....	10.50	9.8	20.04	1.1	....	....
17	6.26	9.4	8.05	9.3	11.25	0.8	20.39	1.0
18	6.41	9.2	8.55	9.0	12.05	0.5	21.12	1.1
19	7.00	9.0	9.40	8.8	12.41	0.2	21.45	1.5
20	7.11	8.7	10.28	8.4	13.20	0.7	22.19	1.9
21	7.20	8.6	11.23	7.9	13.55	8.3	22.51	2.4
22	7.29	8.5	12.25	7.4	14.28	7.5	23.20	3.2
23	7.40	8.4	13.30	6.9	15.25	7.0	23.46	3.9
24	7.51	8.4	14.24	6.3	16.41	6.3	23.59	4.8
25	8.05	8.6	15.25	5.5	19.13	5.3	23.59	5.4
26	8.15	8.6	16.10	4.7	....	....	....	....
27	8.26	8.8	16.50	3.8	....	....	....	....
28	8.35	9.1	17.35	3.1	....	....	....	....
29	8.55	9.5	18.18	2.2	....	....	....	....
30	9.35	9.8	18.56	1.5	....	....	....	....
31	10.20	10.0	19.39	0.8	....	....	....	....

The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt Dry Dock at any time, add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Benches Dry Dock add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

One of the fastest showers ever measured with an automatic rain gauge was that of May 1, 1908, at Porto Bello, on the Isthmus of Panama, when 2.47 inches of rain fell in three minutes.

Sunrise and Sunset

Time of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1931.

Day	Sunrise Hour	Sunset Hour
2	8.06	4.28
3	8.06	4.29
4	8.06	4.30
5	8.05	4.31
6	8.05	4.32
7	8.05	4.33
8	8.05	4.34
9	8.05	4.35
10	8.05	4.37
11	8.04	4.38
12	8.04	4.40
13	8.03	4.41
14	8.03	4.43
15	8.02	4.44
16	8.01	4.46
17	8.00	4.47
18	7.59	4.49
19	7.58	4.50
20	7.57	4.52
21	7.56	4.53
22	7.55	4.55
23	7.54	4.56
24	7.53	4.58
25	7.52	4.59
26	7.51	5.01
27	7.50	5.02
28	7.49	5.04
29	7.47	5.05
30	7.46	5.07
31	7.45	5.08

HONOLULU MAILS

Close 11.15 p.m., December 7, 13, 16, 17, 20, 21, 23, 24, 28 and 30.

Close 11.15 p.m., January 4, 7, 11 and 12.

Close 4 p.m. December 6, Empress of Russia.

Close 4 p.m. January 3, Empress of Asia.

Close 5 p.m. January 7, Aorangi.

Moonrise and Moonset

Time of Moonrise and Moonset (Pacific Standard Time), at Victoria, for the month of January, 1931.

Day	Rises	Sets	Phases
2	2.21 p.m.	6.32 a.m.	
3	3.19 p.m.	7.43 a.m.	
4	4.32 p.m.	8.42 a.m.	Full on 4th
5	5.55 p.m.	9.28 a.m.	
6	7.23 p.m.	10.00 a.m.	
7	8.50 p.m.	10.26 a.m.	
8	10.12 p.m.	10.47 a.m.	
9	11.32 p.m.	11.05 a.m.	
10	...	11.21 a.m.	
11	0.52 a.m.	11.39 a.m.	Last Qtr. 11th
12	2.10 a.m.	11.59 a.m.	
13	3.28 a.m.	12.24 p.m.	
14	4.44 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
15	5.56 a.m.	1.34 p.m.	
16	6.58 a.m.	2.25 p.m.	
17	7.49 a.m.	3.26 p.m.	
18	8.27 a.m.	4.33 p.m.	New Moon
19	8.56 a.m.	5.44 p.m.	
20	9.19 a.m.	6.53 p.m.	
21	9.37 a.m.	8.00 p.m.	
22	9.52 a.m.	9.07 p.m.	
23	10.05 a.m.	10.12 p.m.	
24	10.19 a.m.	11.18 p.m.	
25	10.33 a.m.	...	
26	10.49 a.m.	0.26 a.m.	
27	11.08 a.m.	1.37 a.m.	First Quarter
28	11.34 a.m.	2.51 a.m.	
29	12.09 p.m.	4.07 a.m.	
30	12.57 p.m.	5.21 a.m.	
31	2.02 p.m.	6.26 a.m.	

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria.

Alaska Mails

Mails for the Yukon and Atlin will be dispatched during the month of January, 1931, as follows:

Sails 8 p.m. Jan. 8 from Vancouver, Ss. Princess Norah.

Sails 10 a.m. Jan. 14 from Seattle, Ss. Admiral Farragut.

Sails 9 p.m. Jan. 22 from Vancouver, Princess Norah.

Sails 9 a.m. January 31 from Seattle, Alameda.

Sails 9 p.m. Feb. 5 from Vancouver, Princess Norah.

"Discovery" Again Braves Mysteries Of the Antarctic

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times

London.—The Discovery, the late Captain Scott's ship, refitted and fully equipped even to the extent of an airplane, has set sail from Hobart (Tasmania) for the Antarctic to continue the work begun during the cruise last winter.

In command is Sir Douglas Mawson who accompanied Sir Ernest Shackleton to the Antarctic in 1907, and led the Australian expedition to the same region from 1911 to 1914.

Sir Douglas, in explaining the object of his expedition said: "Several years ago I decided to undertake further exploration of that wide segment of the Antarctic of special interest to Australia, New Zealand, and South Africa, stretching between 40 and 160 degreees east longitude

SECOND SECTION

Victoria Daily Times

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VICTORIA, B.C., FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1931

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2, 16, 72, 73, 203, 1010, 7296, 7923, 8145.

Announcements

BORN

KEIR—To Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Keir (nee McKain), 367 Cruickshank Road, a daughter, on January 1, at Jubilee Hospital.

HARE—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Hare, 334 Hillside Avenue, a daughter, on December 31, at Jubilee Hospital.

BORDEN—To Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Borden (nee Shirring), Lake Hill, a daughter, on January 1, at Jubilee Hospital.

DIED

BELL—On December 30, 1930, there passed away at the Jubilee Hospital, Miss Clara Bell, late of Kaslo, B.C., aged eighty-four years, and born in London, England.

The remains are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Canon Nunns will officiate. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

YELF—There passed away Tuesday, December 30, on the Princess Joan, en route from Vancouver to Victoria, Thomas Harry Yelf, aged seventy years. Born in London, England, the late Mr. Yelf was a resident of Norwich, Norfolk, England, and came to this city seven months ago with Mrs. Yelf to visit his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. Yelf, 1031 Hampshire Road, Oak Bay. He is survived by his wife and one son, Donald, Hampshire Road; also two daughters, Mrs. E. Dewing, Methwold, Norfolk, England, and Mrs. T. Ivison, Norwich, England.

The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon, January 3, the cortege proceeding from the parlors of the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home to St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, where service will be conducted by Rev. Canon A. E. de L. Nunns, at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

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10 COMING EVENTS

BURNSIDE LAWN BOWLING CLUB NEW Year's Eve dance, Wednesday, Dec. 31, Hampton Hall, 9 to 1. Harmony Serenaders, novelties and refreshments. Admission 50c. 8040-4-154

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COME YE MANY PEOPLE TO METCHOsin Hall for the Prince Edward Branch annual New Year's Eve frolic. Novelties, spot prizes; good eats, etc. Starting at 9 p.m. and running till we stop. Tickets 50c. 8051-3-154

DANCE, SATURDAY NIGHT, SHRINE Auditorium. Paver's Columbians. 25c. 8.30 to 12.00. Cafeteria. 86-4-156

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THE VICTORIA AND DISTRICT CORNISH Association will hold its Christmas party for members' children in the Forester's Hall, Cormorant Street, on Saturday, Jan. 3, at 7.30. Games, community singing and refreshments. Parents are asked to bring some home cooking. 8168-2-21

W. A. TO CANADIAN LEGION, PRO PATria, Whist Drive to-night, 8.30. Admission 25c. 625 Courtney St. 8138-1-155

WHIST DRIVE TO-NIGHT, FRIDAY, 8.30 o'clock, Harmony Hall, Fort St. Good prizes. Admission 25c. 8172-1-1

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LOST, IN VICINITY OF GLADSTONE Avenue, last summer, full-grown Persian cat; dark brown, almost black. Anyone giving information concerning same will be rewarded. Phone G2177. 8068-tf

LOST—ON NEW YEAR'S EVE, FROM 824 McClure Street, grey Persian cat, ruff shaved on right side. Great pet. Reward on return, or information. Please phone G7071. 8181-3-3

LOST — BY YOUNG LADY VISITOR, early Monday afternoon, roll of bills or purse containing same, in Dominion Hotel or between there and post office. Kindly phone E4292. Reward. 3-156

LOST—IN OR ABOUT YACHT CLUB ON Wednesday evening, black and white bead purse, with black ribbon handle. Please phone G3778. Reward. 8189-3-3

LOST—DEC. 16, IN VICINITY OF LANGford, black Gordon setter. "Rolly." Reward $5. Phone E1634. 8083-5-156

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(Continued)

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CHRISTMAS SALE OF REBUILT BICYcles from $12.50 to $25. New C.C.M. bicycles, $35. Victory Cycle Works, 581 Johnson Street. Phone G4722.

25b MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

AMERICAN ORGAN, $17.50; GUITAR, $15; accordion, $11; drum outfit, $35. Strings for all instruments. Hickling's Music Store, 741 Pandora. tf

ALMOST NEW CONN E-FLAT ALTO saxophone, $55 cash. P. E. George Music Store, 709 Pandora Ave. E4421. tf

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WE HAVE SOME GOOD NEWS FOR THE radio public—Our 1931 grand electric radios have arrived and they are only $75. Screen-grid, 245 power tubes, dynamic speaker, tone control, and fully guaranteed—can you beat that? Also the Westinghouse 8-tube super-het. console model; the longest distance-getter known, for $150, tubes guaranteed for 12 months; also a number of 6-tube battery-operated sets, one-dial control, complete at $75; also 12 portable radios, complete at $20 each; also big reduction on electric and battery tubes. You can hire an up-to-date radio by the week or month at
JACOB AARONSON'S
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1x4 com. Flooring, short lengths	10.00
1x4 Kiln dried Fir Siding 2 to 7 ft.	15.00
1x3 kiln dried Fir Ceiling 3 to 7 ft.	15.00
Cedar Shingles for side walls, 16-in.	1.50

Other Specials That Will Save You Money
CANADIAN PUGET SOUND LUMBER & TIMBER CO. LTD.
Foot Discovery St. Phone G7131

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Mail and Newspaper Advertising
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Suite 1, 604 Fort Street. Phone E2713

30 LIVESTOCK
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CYLINDER GRINDING, MOTORBOAT and motorcar repairs, marine ways, etc. Armstrong Bros., 134 Kingston Street.

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The Times

Phone E 4175

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Automotive

34 AUTO SERVICE DIRECTORY

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Three of the best buys to-day. Cash or very easy terms.

1927 PONTIAC COACH, overhauled.....$395
1924 DODGE SEDAN, overhauled.....$250
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We sell cars for the owners and give the owners cash. For a quick sale, see
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1928 CHEVROLET 4-door Sedan, A-1 shape $525
1928 Model A FORD Touring..... 260

We have many inquiries for low-priced cars and trucks. List yours with us.
JONES BROTHERS USED CAR DEPT
Phone E1933

TO-DAY'S BEST BUY

1928 (late) PLYMOUTH ROADSTER — In splendid condition throughout, mechanically in perfect order; exceptionally low mileage; thousands of miles of unused transportation.
TO-DAY'S BEST BUY..... $585

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STUDEBAKER COACH, 1925 ..... $385
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GRAHAM PAIGE COUPE, 1928 (late) $850

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THOMAS PLIMLEY LTD.
1010 Yates Street
Established 1893 G7161

REDUCED PRICES
ON USED CARS

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Open Evenings
A. E. HUMPHRIES MOTORS LTD
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JONES BROS. USED CAR DEPARTMENT

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Twenty other snaps

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1926 FORD TUDOR	$195
1927 FORD TUDOR	$225
1925 FORD COUPE	$110
1926 FORD COUPE	$215
1926 CHEVROLET COUPE	$295
1926 MODEL T TON TRUCK	$150
1926 CANOPY FORD, DELIVERY	$75
1929 MODEL A LIGHT DELIVERY	$495
1929 MODEL A TUDOR	$525
1926 MODEL A TUDOR	$495
1930 MODEL A FORDOR	$645
1929 1½-TON 6-SPEED FORD TRUCK	$450
1928 INTERNATIONAL ¾-TON DEL.	$450
1927 CHEVROLET TOURING	$245

Terms Arranged
NATIONAL MOTOR COMPANY LIMITED
819 Yates Street
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AUTOMOBILES
(Continued)

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We have several seized cars that must be sold
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A LIST OF YEAR-END SPECIALS

OUR EXTRA SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK IS A

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1926 FORD Tudor Sedan in first-class condition. For only $165

1922 CHEVROLET Coupe in first-class condition; wire wheels; good tires..... $75

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PONTIAC SEDAN, 1927	$675
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HUDSON COACH, 1927	$575
CHEVROLET COACH (6), 1929	$675
CHEVROLET COUPE (6), 1929	$675

TOURING CARS, $50 UP—ALL IN GOOD CONDITION
BEGG MOTOR CO. LIMITED
Yates at Quadra
Open Evenings Phone G1144

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CARS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION FOR SALE AT VERY LOW PRICES
WHEN BUYING A CAR, BE FAIR TO YOURSELF. SEE WHAT THE OWNERS ARE WILLING TO SELL THEIR CARS FOR AT
SANGSTER'S USED CAR MART
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Ask for "MR. JUNKIE"
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CASH FOR YOUR CAR — NO DELAY. Cameron, 615 Government. Empress Garage. tf

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FULLY FURNISHED BEDROOM, LIVINGroom and kitchenette; also small suite at 820 Danes Court, 1176 Yates. 7900tf

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FURNISHED APARTMENT — 1021 COOK St. Apply Suite 4, Bell Apts., phone G1462. 8024-26-177

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COMFORTABLE ROOM WITH BREAKfast if desired, in good home, close to town. Phone E1978. 000-tf

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1222 Broad Street

We Wish You a Prosperous New Year

OFFICES TO RENT
IN THE
JONES BUILDING:

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B.C. LAND AND INVESTMENT AGY. LTD.
922 Government Street Phone G4115

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53 PROPERTY WANTED

WANTED TO LEASE, WITH OPTION OF purchase, one or two acres with house, about five miles out; state terms to Box 1910, Times. 800-2

Business Opportunities

55 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B.C.

Tenders for Fire Equipment

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m., Monday, January 5, 1931, for the following Equipment for the Fire Department:

2 Motor Combination Pumper and Hose Wagons.
1 Motor City Service Ladder Truck Chassis.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Agent, to whom tenders must be addressed and marked on envelope, "Tender for Fire Equipment." A certified cheque equal to 5% of the amount of the tender, made payable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

E. S. MICHELL,
Purchasing Agent.

City Hall, Victoria, B.C.,
December 18, 1930.

Notice Regarding Temporary Closing Burnside Road

IN ORDER to permit the replacement of the highway bridge on Burnside Road over the Canadian National Railway track, the highway from the east end of the bridge to the Island Highway will be closed to traffic for a period of two weeks commencing Friday, January 2.

Detour, via Helmcken Road and the Island Highway.

P. PHILIP,
Chief Engineer.

Department of Public Works,
Parliament Buildings,
Victoria, B.C., December 31, 1930.

POUND NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, January 5, at the City Pound, Walnut Street, at the hour of 2.15 p.m. I shall Sell by Public Auction the following animal: One Two-year-old Heifer, color red, unless the said animal is redeemed and the Pound Charges paid up to or before the time of sale.

A. KENNEDY, Poundkeeper.

Victoria, B.C., January 2, 1931.

Reynolds Defeats Japanese Wrestler

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 2.—Jack Reynolds, Cincinnati, who recently vacated his National Wrestling Association title as welterweight champion, came out of retirement to-day and defeated Iota Shima, Japan.

Shima took the first fall in seventeen minutes, four seconds, and Reynolds won the second fall in four minutes and twenty-eight seconds. Shima suffered an injured neck ligament in the second fall and conceded the third fall.

Uncle Ray's Corner

The World's Geysers

The word "geyser" comes from Iceland, and its meaning in our language is "gusher."

Geysers may be described as "hot springs which throw jets of water and steam into the air." It seems rather queer that Iceland, so far north and supposed to be so "icy," should be a home of geysers; but that is the fact. People in Iceland may boil eggs without using fire to heat the water; and they may watch geysers rush into the air.

UNCLE RAY

Yellowstone Park is another home of geysers. During visits I have made there, I have seen Old Faithful send water from 100 to 150 feet into the air. This geyser has twenty-four or twenty-five eruptions each day, winter and summer. The eruptions take place about fifty-eight minutes apart, on the average.

A few Yellowstone geysers send water to greater heights, but they are not so frequent or regular. The Beehive geyser throws a jet 215 feet into the air, and the Giantess goes up 250 feet.

New Zealand is a third place famed for its geysers. In general the New Zealand geysers are less interesting than those of Yellowstone Park; but in 1886 one of them sent water to a height of 800 feet! Along with the water rose steam, mud and small stones. The eruption lasted four hours.

What makes the geysers act the way they do? The reason is the pressure which is caused when water is heated to a high point beneath them.

A sketch of a high geyser eruption in New Zealand.

Geysers are found in regions where there were once volcanoes. The rocks beneath the surface are still very hot. The water which gets into the ground from rain and melting snow is heated by the rocks, and steam is formed. This steam is at last strong enough to cause an eruption.

To-morrow—A Little Saturday Talk.

Uncle Ray

Organize a branch of Uncle Ray's Scrapbook Club in your neighborhood. For illustrated Directions Leaflet and 1931 Membership Certificate send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Uncle Ray.

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IMMUNIZING THE CHILD

Infants Should Be Vaccinated Against Smallpox Before They Are One Year Old, Says Experts.

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

The dissemination of knowledge concerning the spread of infectious diseases creates great interest in the possibilities of freeing the child from the likelihood of having some of the conditions which were formerly considered an inevitable portion of its lot.

In a recent consideration of what may be done for the child in this connection, the United States Public Health Service states that children should be vaccinated against smallpox before they are one year old.

The chief advantages of vaccination at this early age are the fact the child is completely under control so that there is no danger of injury to the vaccination from being struck by hard objects, no danger of getting dirt into it, and little, if any, likelihood of infection.

At the time when the child enters school it should be vaccinated again, first because vaccination does not protect in every case throughout life; second, in order to protect the child against severe exposure, such as may occur when it goes out into the world. If the child is sufficiently immune to smallpox, the second vaccination will probably not take and the result will merely be a little red spot on the arm for a day or two.

The United States Public Health Service also recommends immunization against diphtheria by the use of toxoid or of tonin-antitoxin. The period for this immunization is preferably the time known as the pre-school age, although it is quite possible to immunize the child at a much earlier age. The injections given between the age of one and two years of age will make it possible for the child to enter kindergarten or even attend nursery school with the knowledge that it has been protected against the possibility of diphtheria.

The other conditions with which mothers are especially interested are scarlet fever, measles, typhoid fever, whooping cough, and infantile paralysis.

Scarlet fever is not nearly so common a condition as formerly, and its severity is apparently on the decline. Hence, it is advised that children be immunized against this disease only when there is likelihood of an epidemic or when the child has been exposed to the disease by contact with someone who has it.

In the case of measles, a serum taken from those who have recovered from the disease confers immunity. Here again it is not possible to vaccinate the entire community, and it is probably not advisable to attempt to protect the child by this method unless some other child in the vicinity has developed the disease and it is exposed.

Evidence is accumulating to indicate that children may be protected against infantile paralysis by inoculation of serum from someone who has recovered. Here also the protective measure should be available for use in times of epidemic or exposure, but not given as routine.

The vast majority of people are now protected against typhoid fever by the sanitation of water, sewage and food supplies. Vaccination against typhoid fever should be reserved for those who are going to travel in places where sanitation is not well developed.

The evidence that vaccines and vaccination for whooping cough protect against the disease is not such as to warrant the use of this measure as a routine. It should be left to the individual physician to decide whether or not it is to be used in any certain case.

ALAN MORTON'S COUNTER GIVES RANGERS A WIN

Defeat Celtic 1 to 0 to Regain Lead in Scottish First Division Football

65,000 Attend Holiday Match; Full Card of Matches in English First Division

Glasgow, Scotland, Jan. 2.—Sixty-five thousand spectators crowded into Ibrox Park yesterday and saw Rangers defeat their intracity rivals, Celtic, by 1 to 0.

The match, as were all the games in Scotland, was played in excellent frosty weather. Rangers' goal came through Alan Morton's cleverness six minutes after the start. The victory brought Rangers back to the top of the Scottish First Division championship table.

Dundee were swamped at Aberdeen, Yorkton doing the hat trick, McDiarmid getting two goals, and Love, one marker, for the Dons. Campbell had Dundee's lone goal.

Clyde were again down to Partick Thistle, for whom Simpson scored twice. Boyd had Clyde's goal.

East Fife and Cowdenbeath fought out a keen goalless draw.

Falkirk were beaten at home by Airdrie. McQueen and McDonald, two, goaled for Airdrie, and Hutchison for Falkirk.

FIRST WIN

Hamilton Academicals just scraped home against Motherwell, whose scoring forwards, after getting nine goals in the last two games, were completely tied up. Moffatt had Hamilton's goal.

Hibernians led Hearts at one time, but were forced to concede a point in the end. C. Brown and Taylor were Hibernians' scorers, while James and Chalmers registered for Hearts.

Kilmarnock bowed at home to St. Mirren. Maxwell and Wales were scorers for Kilmarnock, and McCrae, two, and Reilly, for the Paisley Club.

Morton and Leigh Athletic played a one-all draw, Cromptons goaling for the former, and Carruthers, for the latter.

Results of games yesterday in the British Isles follow:

ENGLISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

Blackburn Rovers 0, Manchester City 1.
Bolton Wanderers-Liverpool, postponed.
Manchester United 0, Leeds United 0.
Middlesbrough 2, Grimsby Town 1.
Newcastle United 2, Aston Villa 0.
Sheffield Wednesday 2, Huddersfield Town 1.

SECOND DIVISION

Barnsley 0, Plymouth Argyle 4.
Everton 2, Bury 2.
Oldham 1, Reading 1.

THIRD DIVISION
Northern Section

Accrington Stanley 2, Rochdale 3.
Barrow 0, Crewe Alexandra 0 (when abandoned).
Carlisle United 1, Doncaster Rovers 1.
Chesterfield 5, Tranmere Rovers 1.
Darlington 0, Lincoln City 1.
Gateshead 2, York City 1.
Hartlepools United 6, Wigan Borough 1.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

Aberdeen 6, Dundee 1.
Clyde 1, Partick Thistle 2.
East Fife 0, Cowdenbeath 0.
Falkirk 1, Airdrie 3.
Hamilton Academicals 1, Motherwell 0
Hibernians 2, Hearts 2.
Kilmarnock 2, St. Mirren 3.
Morton 1, Leith Athletic 1.
Queen's Park-Ayr United, unplayed.
Rangers 1, Celtic 0.

SECOND DIVISION

Albion Rovers 2, Stenhousemuir 2.
Arbroath 5, Forfar Athletic 3.
Bo'ness 2, Alloa 1.
Brechin City 2, Montrose 1.
Dumbarton 0, Clydebank 2.
Dundee United 1, St. Johnstone 1.
Dunfermline 1, Armadale 0.
King's Park 8, East Stirlingshire 3.
Queen of South 1, Third Lanark 3.
St. Bernard 1, Raith Rovers 1.

RUGBY LEAGUE

Halifax 8, Lee 11.
St. Helen's Recs. 5, St. Helen's 3.
Swinton 4, Salford 8.
Warrington 20, Rochdale Hornets 12.
Batley 2, Dewsbury 7.
Bramley 15, Bradford Northern 4.

RUGBY UNION

Birkenhead Park 0, Waterloo 0.
Watsonians 13, Newport 8.

Hudson's Bay Control May Come To Canada

London Inquiry Committee's Report Recommends Separation of Canadian Stores From Other Operations and Placing Them Under New Separate Company; Governor Sale Protests Change and Threatens Resignation.

Canadian Press Cable

London, Jan. 2.—Hudson's Bay Company shares reacted favorably on the stock exchange following the issuing of the report of the special committee which has been investigating the affairs of the company.

The company dividends on preferred and common stocks were passed recently, but share rose $1.25 to a level of $7. The exact exchange quotation was 27 shillings and 6 pence.

The special committee recommends separation of the main business from the Canadian stores, leaving the fur trade of the company to be handled from London, while a new company should take over operation of the stores, in which, it is recommended the Canadian public should be invited to invest.

C. V. SALE PROTESTS CHANGE

Charles Vincent Sale, governor of the company, declares the committee's recommendations would constitute a fundamental change, "not in the company's best interest at present," he does not wish the changes and it is stated in some quarters that he has decided to retire. Another statement said Mr. Sale had now tendered resignation as a protest against the committee's recommendations.

Recommendations will be considered at a special meeting of shareholders on January 16 when considerable lively discussion is expected. C. L. Nordon, city solicitor, who has been a constant critic of the company, intends to press other proposals.

The present directorate and the special committee itself, however, oppose further interference.

LARGE FUR LOSSES

The company's main departmental stores are in Winnipeg and Vancouver. It was stated officially earlier this month that the serious fall in world fur prices had caused great loss to the company, and that so far as the other activities of the company were concerned, the depression in Canada had proved more severe in effect than anticipated. Consequently heavy losses were expected on the year's operations.

NO SUSPICION TOWARDS DIRECTORS

The Times to-day pointed out the committee's report made it perfectly plain that there was no suspicion whatever of any lack of good faith attaching to the directorate in regard to the company's rather complicated transactions with subsidiary and associated concerns, which, cover a considerable period.

"There is nothing to suggest the directors in any way failed either in their general competence or in their duty to the proprietors," The Times added.

Retail Market

Vegetables	
Vegetable Marrow, lb	.04
Local New Potatoes, 10 lbs	.25
Local Potatoes, sack	2.25
Ashcroft Netted Gem Potatoes, sack	2.25
Hothouse Tomatoes, lb	.20
Lettuce, head	.10
Beets, per bunch	.08
Carrots, per bunch	.08
Turnips, per bunch	.08
Celery, stalk, local	.15
Cabbage, each	.10 and .05
Cauliflower each	.35
Onions, 7 lbs	.25
Lettuce, head	.10
Onions, 6 lbs. for	.25
Fruits	
Smyrna Figs, lb	.25 and .20
Pulled Figs, box	.30 and .50
Jap Oranges, box	.95
Jamaica Oranges, dozen	.50
Jamaica Grapefruit, 3 for	.25
Newtown Pippin Apples, box	2.90
Persimmons, each	.05
Cranberries, lb	.25
Pomegranates, each	.10
Apples—	
Delicious Apples	2.25
Winter Bananas, box	1.75
Bananas, dozen	.50
Lemons, Cal., dozen	.19, .25 .40
Dates, 3 lbs	.25
Cocoanuts, each	.15 and .20
Pears, dozen	.50
Processed Strawberries, pail	.25
Navel Oranges	.40 .50 .60 .85
Hams and Bacon	
Ham, lb	.30 to .35
Bacon, lb	.35 to .60
Dairy Produce and Eggs	
Butter—	
Brookfield, lb	.40
Cowichan Creamery, per lb	.45
Salt Spring	.45
Handipats, lb	.40
Our Own Brand	.40
New Zealand Creamery, blue, lb	.33
Nuts	
Walnuts, per lb	.30 to .40
Pecans	.40
Mixed	.25 and .35
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb	.40
Roasted Peanuts, per lb	.15
New Almond Nuts, lb	.30
Soft Shell Almonds	.40
New Chestnuts, Japan, lb	.12½
New Brazils, lb	.25
Fresh Meats	
Pork—	
Shoulder Roasts, per lb	.18
Loin, per lb	.35
Pork Sausages, per lb	.32
Spring Lamb—	
Shoulders, lb	.26
Legs, per lb	.35
No. 1 Beef—	
Sirloin Steaks, per lb	.40 to .45
Rbund Steak, per lb	.25 to .35
Pot Roasts, per lb	.15 to .22
Rump Roasts, per lb	.25 to .30
Local Veal—	
Shoulders	.20 to .25
Fillets	.45
Rumps	.20
Legs	.35
Rabbits, local, per lb	.25
New Zealand Lamb—	
Shoulders, per lb	.20
Legs, per lb	.30
New Zealand Mutton—	
Legs, per lb	.25
Shoulders, per lb	.15
Eggs—	
B.C. Fresh Extras	.43
B.C. Fresh Firsts	.39
B.C. Pullet Extras	.35
Flour	
Flour, all standard brands, 49s	1.78

Feed	Per Ton	Per Sack
Bran	24.00	1.30
Shorts	26.00	1.40
Scratch	40.00	2.10
Wheat, No. 1	38.00	1.90
Wheat, No. 2	34.00	1.70
Oats	34.00	1.75
Oats, Gr.	36.00	1.85
Oats, Cr.	35.00	1.85
Barley	32.00	1.70
Barley, Gr.	34.00	1.80
Corn, whole	44.00	2.30
Corn, Gr.	46.00	2.40
Corn, Cr.	46.00	2.40

Cheese	
B.C. Solids, lb	.20
Finest Ontario Mild, per lb	.30
Edam Dutch Cheese, per lb	.40
Finest Ontario Matured, per lb	.45
Gouda Cheese, per lb	.40
Gorgonzola, per lb	.60
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.40
English Stilton, lb	.85
Imported Roquefort, per lb	.65
Chateau, lb	.35
Eagle Brand Camembert, box	.60
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese	.40
Kraft, lb	.35
Golden Leaf	.30
Poultry	
Heavy Fowl, lb	.35
Light Fowl, lb	.30
Roasting Chickens, lb	.40
Local Turkeys, lb	.42
Geese, lb	.30
Ducks, lb	.35
Fish	
Halibut, lb	.25
Cod, per lb	.12½
Sole, per lb	.15
Herring, per lb	.10
Fresh Shrimps, per lb	.25
Eastern Finnan Haddies, per lb	.20
Smoked Salmon	.30
Local Queen Black Cod	.25
Large Eastern Kippers	.20
Cod Fillets	.15

Wholesale Market

Meats	
No. 1 Steer Beef	.13½
Cow Beef	.12
Veal	.16
Hogs	.16
Shoulders	.17
Loins	.22
Legs	.19
Brenkers, lb	.19
New Zealand Lamb, lb	.20
Lamb, spring, lb	.30
Tongues, lb	.25 to .28
Poultry	
Fresh Chicken, lb	.30 to .34
Ducks, lb	.30
Geese, lb	.28
Fresh Fowl, lb	.26 to .30
Turkeys, lb	.31 to .37
Fish	
Haddies, lb	.13
Fillets, O.R.	.18
Scotch cured	.20
Sunrise Fillets	.15
Smoked Meats	
Bacon, lb	.38 .42
Backs, lb	.32
Hams, lb	.27 to .30

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THE TIMES BIRTHDAY CLUB

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Age.....
Street.....
City.....
Birthday.....
Signature.....

MANY GUESTS ATTENDED NEW YEAR RECEPTIONS

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Capt. J. W. Troup, Mr. and Mrs. P. Walker, Major A. J. Gray, Lieut. W. Oliver, Mrs. Weaver, Bridgman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bridgman, Pay-Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. Oswin, Mr. and Mrs. E. McCannon, Dr. and Mrs. A. Price, Capt. and Mrs. Russell, Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Taylor, Miss N. Taylor, Rev. C. T. Scott, Rt. Rev. G. Murray, Brig.-Gen. and Mrs. Hughes, Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. Hibbard.

W. B. Lanigan, Mrs. E. D. McCallum, Mrs. N. Pirrie, Miss Temple, Dr. and Mrs. Ridewood, Captain and Mrs. Merston, Mrs. M. Marshall, Dr. and Mrs. J. Moore, Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mrs. H. E. Hubbard, Mrs. Peter Barr, Miss Thain, W. Roy, W. A. Akhurst, G. Simpson, R. Corfield, Miss Mulligan, Miss Cadwallader, Miss Michaux, Mr. and Mrs Branson, Miss J. Burgess, Mrs. A. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. G. Pinhorn, Mr. and Mrs. S. Wood, Miss Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Blowers, Mrs. W. Wilkerson, Miss Wilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. Colquhoun, Mrs. B. C. Combe, Miss Combe, Mrs. Treherne, Capt. and Mrs. S. J. Clayton, Mrs. M. C. Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. N. Hill, Mrs. W. Hinchliffe, Mr. and Mrs. P. Linklater, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Crawford, Miss Helen Crawford, L. Aylard, Miss Alma Russell, Miss Bowron, Mrs. W. S. Campbell, Mrs. G. S. Angus, Miss Angus, Mr. and Mrs. Herchmer, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchison, Miss M. Campbell, G. Lilley, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Herchmer, Mrs. C. G. Carey, Mr. and Mrs. E. McLoughlin, A. Acheson-Lyle, P. H. Elliott, H. P. Johnson, H. F. Crowe, R. A. Wootton, E. E. Wootton, L. J. Burdon-Murphy, Desmond Burdon-Murphy, J. G. Brown, H. J. Desbarats, R. Burton Carpenter, R. F. Green, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Green, Roland Stuart, B. H. Harrison, C. H. Topp, A. E. Greenwood, H. O. Litchfield, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Campbell, Major G. Aitken, Brigadier and Mrs. J. Sutherland Brown, F. G. Maynard, Miss Maynard, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bullock-Webster, Mr. and Mrs. C. Maunsell, V. Wheatley, Miss Eleanor Blackburn, F. J. Brimer, Mrs. G. Y. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Maynard, T. Watson, D'Arcy Bale, J. E. Wilson, L. Brimer, T. A. Johnston, Colonel Winsby, J. O. Cameron, J. W. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ogden, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brown, Mr. and Mrs. F. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Calvert, Rev. James Hood, Mrs. Hood and Miss Hood.

Captain and Mrs. F. H. Buck, Mr. and Mrs. G. Tyson, Mr. and Mrs. Napier Denison, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Grant, Miss Geach, Dr. Hermann Robertson, Herbert Clark, C. W. Pangman, G. A. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. White, Miss M. Holmes, Rev. J. S. Patterson, J. Harold Wilson, Dr. C. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cameron, W. E. Harper, R. T. Williams, W. P. D. Pemberton, A. L. Collison, Lieut.-Colonel Messiter, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. James, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Fleming, Mrs. F. A. Rounding, Mr. and Mrs. Bjornsfelt, Miss P. Hamilton Smith, Mrs. Peter Bell, K. Heming, Mrs. A. J. Moore, Miss J. Lay; Mrs. J. Pewy, Mrs. R. Dougan, Mrs. S. Gardiner, Miss Gardiner; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Woodward, Mrs. E. Hamilton Smith, Mrs. Rounding, T. O. Mackay, Mrs. and Mrs. W. Downes, Miss Downes, Sydney M. Oliver, J. W. Spencer, W. J. Baile, J. Gray, F. Lewin, D. J. Angus, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Goggin, J. A. Merrick, K. Denniston, Ernest Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Laundy, Edward and Arthur Laundy, Capt. and Mrs. W. J. C. Johnston, F. Greenway, R. Marwick, L. Austen-Leigh, E. Reason, Lieut. G. B. Monk, Captain and Mrs. Swan and many others.

HAND OTTAWA NINTH STRAIGHT DEFEAT IN GRIMLY FOUGHT GAME

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Third period—3, Rangers, Jerwa, 4.26; 4, Rangers, Jerwa, 1.20; 5, Boston, Barry (Chapman), 12.36; 6, Boston, Gainor (Barry), 1.08.

Overtime period—7, Boston, Beattie, 1.43.

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—A dogged struggle by the Montreal Maroons won them victory over the Ottawa Senators in a National Hockey League game yesterday evening. After twice fighting their way up to even terms, the Senators gave way before Hooley Smith in the last two minutes of play and Montreal won a 3-2 decision.

Babe Siebert led the Maroon attack, scoring the first two Montreal goals in the second period on solo efforts and passing to Smith for the winning counter. Len Grosvenor tallied Ottawa's first goal on a pass from Danny Cox, and Joe Lamb scored the second alone.

It was the Senators' ninth straight defeat. The game was rough, twenty-six penalties being called.

SUMMARY

First period—No score.

Second period—1, Maroons, Siebert, 4.10; 2, Ottawa, Grosvenor (Cox), 10.15; 2, Maroons, Siebert, 5.35.

Third period—4, Ottawa, Lamb, 2.15; 5, Maroons, H. Smith (Siebert), 16.15.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 2.—The Chicago Black Hawks held a scoring carnival yesterday evening at the expense of the Philadelphia Quakers, winning by 10 to 3, to take undisputed possession of second place in the National Hockey League race.

The smallest crowd of the season, 7,500, watched the match, but they saw plenty of hockey. Young Frankie Ingram was the big scorer for the Hawks with four goals, while Hib Milks headed the Philadelphia attack with two. The first period was tight, the Hawks managing to get by the rough Quaker defence only once, but they found the combination in the second session and almost chased the Quakers out of the building. Gardner played a fine game at goal for the Hawks, the three goals against him coming after he had made fine saves of previous shots.

The rest of the Hawks' scoring was split up among Des Jardines, Gottselig, Ripley, Couture, Miller and Cook. The total score, thirteen goals, tied the season's record set by Ottawa and Les Canadiens several days ago.

First period—1, Chicago, Cook (Miller), 18.20.

Second period—2, Chicago, Ripley, 3.25; 3, Chicago, Couture, 1.45; 4, Philadelphia, Shields (Lyons), 3.05; 5, Chicago, Ingram (Des Jarwines), 2.50; 6, Chicago, Ingram (Arbour-Des Jardines), 1.35; 7, Chicago, Miller (Cook-Adams), 8.10.

Third period—8, Chicago, Des Jardines (Arbour), 1.15; 9, Chicago, Ingram (Arbour), .05; 10, Philadelphia, Howe (Milks), 2.10; 11, Chicago, Gottselig, 1.30; 12, Philadelphia, Milks (McKinnon), 4.20; 13, Chicago, Ingram (Des Jardines), 2.50.

Dr. Sarpolis To Meet Tom Alley Here on Saturday

Saturday night's wrestling card at the Tillicum gymnasium will bring together Dr. Sarpolis, flying-scissors expert, and Tom Alley, world light heavyweight champion, in the eight-round main event. In the semi-windup "Rocky" Brooks, Victoria, has been matched with Ken Jones, Seattle grappler. The main event is expected to prove one of the best bouts staged here this winter and should draw a good house.

Carpet Bowling

The schedule for the second half of the Women's Carpet Bowling League follows:

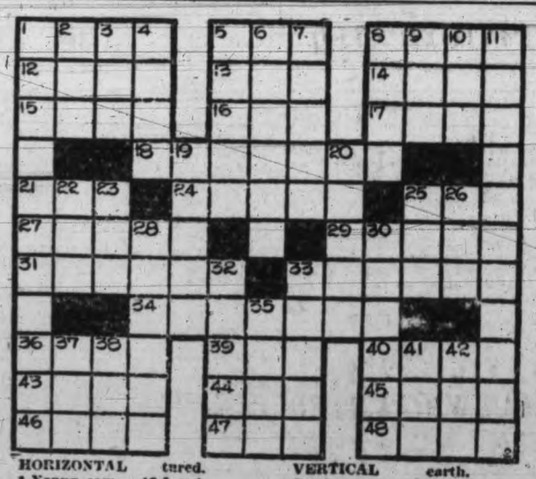
Jan. 5—Purple Star "B" vs. Britannia.
Jan. 9—Queen of Island vs. Purple Star "A."
Jan. 8—Willows Rose vs. Willows Thistles.
Jan. 8—Purple Star "C" vs. Lake Hill.
Jan. 12—Purple Star "A" vs. Purple Star "B."
Jan. 14.—Willows Thistles vs. Queen of Island.
Janc 13—Lake Hill vs. Willows Rose.
Jan. 16.—Britannia vs. Purple Star "C."
Jan. 22—Willows Rose vs. Purple Star "A."
Jan. 22—Purple Star "C" vs. Willows Thistles.
Jan. 19—Purple Star "B" vs. Lake Hill.
Jan. 23—Queen of Island vs. Britannia.
Jan. 27—Lake Hill vs. Queen of Island.
Jan. 30—Britannia vs. Willows Rose.
Jan. 26—Purple Star "A" vs. Purple Star "C."
Jan. 28—Willows Thistles vs. Purple Star "B."
Feb. 2—Purple Star "A" vs. Britannia.
Feb. 3—Lake Hill vs. Willows Thistles.
Feb. 6—Queen of Island vs. Purple Star "B."
Feb. 5—Purple Star "C" vs. Willows Rose.
Feb. 11.—Willows Thistles vs. Purple Star "A."
Feb. 13—Britannia vs. Lake Hill.
Feb. 12—Willows Rose vs. Queen of Island.
Feb. 9—Purple Star "B" vs. Purple Star "C."
Feb. 20—Britannia vs. Willows Thistles.
Feb. 16—Purple Star "A" vs. Lake Hill.
Feb. 16—Purple Star "B" vs. Willows Rose.
Feb. 20—Queen of Island vs. Purple Star "C."

Jimmy Britt Wins Call Over Sweeney

Bellingham, Wash., Jan. 2.—Launching a hurricane attack in the opening round, Jimmy Britt, Bellingham welterweight, outboxed and outpunched Jack Sweeney, Seattle, to win the decision in the six-round main event of the fight card here yesterday evening.

Norman Wilson, Vancouver, B.C., won a close decision over Russ Brock, 165, Bellingham, in the semi-windup.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



HORIZONTAL
1 Young cow.
5 Derby.
8 Dressed.
12 Spoken.
13 To sin.
14 Citric fruit.
15 To apportion.
16 Constellation.
17 Jewel.
18 Severed.
21 To loiter.
24 At no time.
25 What animal spreads the bubonic plague?
27 Perfect pattern.
29 To think.
31 Struggle.
33 Experts.
34 Knitted coat.
36 Woven string.
39 Still.
40 Manufactured.
43 Level.
44 Ocean.
45 Portrait statue.
46 Small depression.
47 Organ of sound.
48 Examination.

VERTICAL
1 Intricate.
2 Verb.
3 Upright shaft.
4 Ran away.
5 To hoist.
6 To reach a place.
7 To exchange.
8 Lump of earth.
9 Part of mouth.
10 Wine vessel.
11 Concealed.
19 A relative by marriage.
20 To corrode.
22 Stir.
23 Diamond.
25 To tear stitches.
26 Insect.
28 Not present.
30 To allow.
32 To vex.
33 Perfume.
35 Region.
37 Hail!
38 Sty for pigs.
41 What was Eddie Rickenbacker?
42 Power property.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

COMB	OLIO	LINE	OVERT	RED
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DETER	■	TOP	EWE	SEW
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OBITUARY

There passed away at an early hour this morning at the family residence, 1045 Balmoral Road, Mrs. Isabella McCall, wife of David McCall. Mrs. McCall was born in Scotland and had resided here for sixteen years. She is mourned by the widower and two brothers. The remains are resting at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Announcement of funeral will be made later.

Miss Clara Bell of Kaslo, B.C., died on Tuesday, December 30, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital. She was born in London, England, eighty-four years ago. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Parlors, with interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

Cyprian Louis Bellack, 732 Yates Street, died this morning at St. Joseph's Hospital at the age of sixty-six years. He was born at Pembroke, Ont., and had resided in Victoria for ten years. The funeral will be held on Monday morning at 8.45 o'clock from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where mass will be said at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of the late Thomas Harry Yelf, who passed away Tuesday on the Princess Joan, en route from Vancouver to Victoria, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Born in London seventy years ago, Mr. Yelf was a resident of Norwich, Norfolk, England, and came to this city seven months ago with Mrs. Yelf to visit his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. Yelf, 1051 Hampshire Road, Oak Bay. He is survived by the widow and one son, Donald, Hampshire Road; also two daughters, Mrs. E. Dewing, Methwold, Norfolk, England, and Mrs. T. Ivison, Norwich, England. The cortege will proceed from the parlors of the S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home to St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, where service will be conducted at 2 o'clock. Rev. Canon A. E. de L. Nunns will officiate and interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

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ROYALS WON SOCCER GAME AT NANAIMO

Westminsters Defeated Nanaimo City By Score of Three Goals to Two

Special to The Times

Nanaimo, Jan. 2.—Westminster Royals defeated Nanaimo City yesterday 3-2 before a large crowd. The score represented the game, the Royals having the edge on the locals.

Nanaimo missed several good chances in the first half, which eventually cost them the game. The Royals were lucky as the locals peppered their goal often with shots, Sanford making fine saves.

After half an hour's play, Waugh opened the scoring for Nanaimo with a fine shot when Singleton left an empty goal.

Half-time, 1-0, in favor of Nanaimo.

In the second half the City players tired on the heavy ground.

Westminster equalized through Deasum after ten minutes. Both teams fought hard for the lead and Fielding, Royals' centre, gave them the lead after twenty-minutes' play.

Nanaimo added another ten minutes later. Nanaimo tried hard to score but Singleton was unbeatable.

Strang, local centre, secured the ball and, beating four opponents, scored a fine goal. The locals pressed the visiting defence but could not equalize. The final whistle found the Royals winners, 3-2.

NANAIMO NOTES

Special to The Times

Nanaimo, Jan. 2.—Mrs. Frank Breese, Vancouver, native daughter of Nanaimo, passed away in Vancouver Wednesday after an illness of four months. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Glaholm, Chapel Street. Mrs. Breese's mother was the first white child born in Nanaimo and is still living. Besides her mother, she is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Davidson, Powell River, and two sisters, Mrs. Judge Young, Prince Rupert, and Mrs. D. B. Edgell, Nanaimo.

Rev. J. McTurk united in marriage Thursday afternoon, at the home of the bride, May, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dixon, Comox Road, and Andrew Whiskers, son of Mrs. Whiskers, Extension.

The bride was given away by her father and attended by Miss Joyce Carter.

Peter Whiskers, brother of the groom, acted as best man. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride, the guests being received by the bride's mother. The happy couple left for a motor tour to Portland and on their return will reside at Cowichan Lake.

Robert McNeil, Samuel and George Peterson, residents of Gabriola Island, were fined Wednesday $20 and costs by Magistrate Beever-Potts, for an assault on Louis Sylva on Christmas Day. Sylva is a disabled Great War veteran. Magistrate Potts took the opportunity to lecture the prisoners on their conduct, stating that they were always causing trouble on the Island and were very objectionable to the other residents. He warned them not to come before him again or they would be seriously dealt with. Cecil Thompson of South Gabriola, was fined $20 and costs for inflicting bodily harm on Horace Smith.

Nanaimo Gyro baseball team will entertain the Victoria Forrester Senior C aggregation this evening here. Included in the Victoria team will be "Curly Ross," one time Nanaimo star, who used to figure prominently in the old Athletic Hall. The Capitol City team has a big reputation, having trimmed J.B.A.A. on several occasions, and will be represented by the following players: Ross, Cann, Fenwell, Granby, Darroll, Clark, Moir and Irving. The Gyros will field the following: Doc Manson, Doc Hall, Bradshaw, Baker, Berry, Lowe and Booth.

New Year's was ushered in in Nanaimo with blowing of whistles, fireworks, and the old custom of shooting of shotguns and blasts of dynamite. With the exception of a car accident, early on New Year's morning, everything passed off well. The police station is empty, which is another record for Nanaimo. There were several dances and frolics held on New Year's Eve, all being well patronized.

STEERING GEAR STALLED, HAD NARROW ESCAPE

Nanaimo, Jan. 2.—Ernest Good, local tradesman, had a narrow escape New Year's morning when his car broke through the railing at the Townsite bridge, dropping 20 feet and turning a couple of somersaults.

Is steering gear refused to work and the car skidded. Good was taken to hospital for medical attention, having sustained a badly cut mouth and minor bruises. The car was badly damaged.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Herbert G. Randall, a missionary stationed at Cairo, Egypt, will give an address at the Pentecostal Assembly, 1318 Broad Street, this evening at 8 o'clock.

After conducting examinations in Australia for the Royal Academy of Music, H. Isaacs, pianist, reached here by the Ms. Aorangi on New Year's Day from Sydney. He is returning direct to London.

The Ward Seven Ratepayers' Association will meet at Tillicum School on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, when school trustees will explain the High School building proposals and appeal for support for the by-law authorizing a loan of $70,000.

Usual monthly fellowship meetings of the Reformed Episcopal Bible Class will not be held this month on account of the week of prayer. J. S. Whiting, superintendent, suggests that all freinds meet and take part in these meetings at the evenings at Metropolitan Church and in the afternoons at the Y.W.C.A.

The following donations were received by P. Landsberg, local treasurer, Save the Children and Near East Relief Funds, for the month of December, 1930: W. D. Coffey $5, E. $1, M. H. $2, A Friend $2.50, A Wayfarer $1; total donations, $11.50. Further dontions will be gratefully acknowledged by Mr. Lancsberg at 737 Fort Street.

Dr. Arthur F. Barton will give a special lecture on numberology, in which he will answer personal questions at the Progressive Thought Temple, 935 Pandora Avenue, this evening at 8 o'clock. His subject will be "Foretelling the Future by Aid of the Wheel of Life." The lecture will be illustrated. Admission is free.

Fire Chief H. T. Lock of Saanich and Fireman C. Staples narrowly escaped injury when a combination pump and ladder truck crashed into a tree after skidding at Marigold corner while answering a fire call yesterday morning. An automobile owned by J. McWilliams, who saw the crash, was used to complete the journey to the fire at the home of J. Sibbald, Eberts district, which was checked.

The North Saanich Service Club's annual children's Christmas tree was held Friday. A large number of children with their parents and sisters and brothers gathered in the club hall. All sorts of games started the programme, the elders joining in the sport. A delightful supper was served. After supper games were again participated in when suddenly Santa Claus made his magic appearance from amidst the huge Christmas tree and began distributing gifts to the excited kiddies.

One of the interesting items of business at the monthly meeting of the Victoria Typographical Union was the initiation and presentation by President Arthur E. Johnson of a diploma awarded by the International Typographical Union to apprentices who successfully complete its mandatory course of lessons in printing to Leonard F. Cotton, who graduated with the high average of 96.87 mars. Mr. Cotton commenced his printing career at Didsbury, Alta., moved to Salmon Arm, B.C., and latterly completed his training in the modern and well-equipped office of the Cowichan Leader, Duncan.

Mayor Anscomb, Ald. James Adam, Dave Spencer, Bob Webb, F. Eaton and W. J. Laver made a surprise call at the noon hour on New Year's day at the Old Men's Home. The Mayor and Ald Adam tendered New Year greetings while, with Mr. Eaton at the piano, Mr. Webb sang old-time songs. Refreshments were contributed by Mr. Spencer and cigars by G. A. Merrick. Fred Landsberg timed his monthly visit to donate the $2 honorarium to non-pensioned inmates, to coincide with the visits, twenty inmates being recipients. The holiday was spent at home by most of the inmates many of whom received individual callers during the day.

Donations for December at the Old Men's Home were: Reading matter, Col. F. J. Young, Col. Phillips, Jones Book Store, J. H. Frank, Mr. Chappel, Mr. Radford, Miss D. Ashby, Capt. J. G. Cory-Wood and Ald. Litchfield; refreshments, tobacco and cigars, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Driscoll, Ald. James Adam, H. Maynard, F. Landsberg, Col. F. J. Young and Metropolis Cafe; game with prizes, Ald. Litchfield; fruit, Oak Bay Catholic Women's Guild, Mrs. G. Casanave, Ald Adam, W. Porteous, Hudson's Bay Co. and Government House; fancy biscuits, Ormonds Ltd., cash to cheer fund, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Todd and Mrs. G. R. MacLeod.

RAISE LIKELY IN TAX RATE AT COURTENAY

Shortage Caused By Lower Liquor Profits Will Have to to Be Made Up

Special to The Times

Courtenay, Jan. 2.—The city of Courtenay has received a cheque for $2,140.03 for its share of liquor profits and pari-mutuel tax. This makes a total received from liquor profits last year of $3,737.80. The amount received in 1929 from this source was $4,827.11, thus causing a shortage in 1930 of $1,195.50 on these two items alone.

As the 1930 budget was based on the 1929 figures, this amount will have to be made up probably by an increase in the 1931 tax rate. It is understood that the reduction in liquor profits has been caused by the different basis of distribution adopted by the Provincial Government during the last session of the Legislature, but after the municipal budget for 1930 had been completed and the tax rate set.

Ontario Woman Missing From Home

Owen Sound, Ont., Jan. 2.—The disappearance of Mrs. C. McCluskey of Jackson, near here, on Wednesday last remains unsolved. No trace of the woman has been found. More than 100 men searched the surrounding swamps and bush yesterday without result.

When Mrs. McCluskey left home Wednesday morning she was fully clothed, but had no money with her. She had been married for fourteen years, being the mother of three children.

MISTAKEN FOR MOVIE STAR

Miss Edith Taliaferro Here With H. B. Jameson, Actor, From Australia

Depression Closes Legitimate Theatres in Adelaide and Brisbane

Aboard the motorship Aorangi when that vessel docked here yesterday afternoon from Australia was a pretty brunette who attracted more than usual attention. She was Miss Edith Taliaferro, sister of Miss Mabel Taliaferro, the well-known movie star, for whom she was mistaken aboard the ship.

Miss Taliaferro plays the legitimate stage and has just returned from a tour of New South Wales and Victoria with H. B. Jameson, New York actor, who has made a name for himself in the Eastern States and Canada.

The Jameson-Taliaferro company played in Sydney and Melbourne under contract with Williamson and Tait, the big show producers of Australia. Mr. Jameson stated that the company was well received in both cities where they played to large and appreciative houses. The company did not go further afield as the legitimate stage theatres were closed, owing to the depression, Adelaide, Brisbane and Perth have no professional stage productions these days.

Mr. Jameson and Miss Taliaferro played in "Coquette," "Road to Rome," "Garden of Eden," "Let Us Be Gay" and "Is That So?"

"Peg o' My Heart" was given a remarkable revival in Sydney and Melbourne.

ELECTION AT DUNCAN ON JANUARY 15

Nominations For Mayor and Aldermen Will Close on January 12

Duncan, Jan. 2.—City council met on Monday evening with Mayor Prevost in the chair. Aldermen W. T. Corbishley, W. Evans, E. W. Lee and J. Marsh present. A letter was received from T. I. Dunkley claiming damages for injuries to himself and clothing caused by slipping on an alleged greasy road. The clerk was instructed to advise Mr. Dunkley that the council could not accept liability for the accident.

The draft amendment to the Duncan and North Cowichan Schools Act, submitted by Alex Maclean, solicitor, was accepted.

Six property owners, headed by J. M. Campbell, presented a petition asking that the council construct asphalt sidewalk on the north side of Wharncliffe Road. M. Campbell verbally agreed with the city clerk to give up for street improvement, the southwest corner, up to eight feet, each way from the corner of lot 12, block 2, provided the council will pay all expenses of survey and registry, and reimburse him for labor in setting back the fence at that point.

The clerk was instructed to notify the petitioners that the council would undertake the work requested as soon as practicable.

Nominations for the office of mayor, aldermen, police commissioners and school trustees, for the year 1931, will be received at the City Hall by Monday, January 12. James Greig was appointed returning officer and E. S. Fox deputy returning officer. In the event of a poll being necessary the election will take place on Thursday, January 15.

Regarding relief work, the clerk reported that thirty-five men had been engaged for various periods during December. Total amount paid out for labor, since relief work started, is $1,609.55.

Dance Held By Duncan Firemen At New Year's

Special to The Times

Duncan, Jan. 2.—Fun waxed fast and furious when the New Year was ushered in at the firemen's annual dance given in the Agricultural Hall on New Year's Eve. Nearly 800 people were present, and as the chimes of midnight rang. The Vagabond's orchestra supplied music for the dancing. The hall was decorated with red and white streamers, greenery on the wall, and on the drop curtain on the stage there was a large banner bearing the words, "A Happy New Year," and D.V.F.B. (Duncan Volunteer Fire Brigade), electrically lighted. The orchestra platform was railed off with red and white.

Those in charge of the decorations were R. Macdonald and A. Townsend (conveners), assisted by Messrs. J. Chaster (fire chief), A. O. Evans, H. Marsh, L. Talbot, H. Talbot, A. D. Radford, E. Fox, J. Moore, M. Harris, J. Le Cuesne, A. Anderson, Mrs. A. Evans, Mrs. H. Marsh, Miss Ina Castley, Miss K. Macdonald and others.

Supper arrangements were in charge of Mrs. A. Evans and F. J. Wilmott, assisted by Mesdames J. Chaster, A. D. Radford, B. McNichol, J. Anderson, W. I. Henderson, L. Brookbank, C. Grassie, Miss K. Macdonald and K. Creighton, Messrs. J. Moore, Hector Marsh and others. Supper tables were decorated by Mrs. H. Marsh and Miss Ina Castley. Punch bowl in charge of A. Evans.

Woman Honored For Plane Record

Freeport, N.Y., Jan. 2.—Elinor Smith received official recognition to-day as holder of the world altitude record for women pilots.

On March 10, 1930, she attained in a heavy cabin monoplane an altitude of 27,418 feet. She was informed today by the National Aeronautic Association of the United States that her record had been homologated and accepted by the Federation Aeronautic Internationale.

Ruth Alexander holds the only other altitude record for women accepted by the Federation Aeronautic Internationale.

PENSION TRIBUNAL HERE NEXT WEEK

The Department of Pensions and National Health announces that the first hearing of the Pension Tribunal will be held in the members' room, Parliament Buildings, on January 5, 6, and 7, and not at the Court House, Victoria, as previously stated.

SING ORATORIO AT CATHEDRAL

Bach's Christmas Oratorio Will Be Rendered Sunday Afternoon

First and Second Parts of Famous German Composition Included in Programme

Parts one and two of Bach's Christmas Oratorio will be performed at Christ Church Cathedral by the choir and soloists on Sunday afternoon next at 3.45, this late hour being intended to fit in with the civic service to be held at the Metropolitan Church at 2.30 o'clock.

The Christmas Oratorio was designed for performances on six separate days, to each of which one of its six parts is appropriate. These seem naturally to divide into three parts in which form it is convenient for performance apart from ecclesiastical usage or requirement.

The portion of the oratorio assigned for the first day of the festival is highly jubilant in character, an irrepressible outburst, as it were, of the world's holiday wear, with ribbons streaming and holly branches waving, tokens of gladness at the event the season celebrates, and of belief in its everlasting influence.

Bach's treatment of the alto voices seems to indicate a special love for it. The lovely air "Prepare Thyself, Zion," is full of gentleness and love and hope. The gentle cradle is excelled among its own class; it is addressed to the sleeping Christ, and seems in its soothing sweetness to sing away all possibility of trouble and to promise endless repose. These solos will be sung by Miss Nora Jones, whose singing at a former recital at the cathedral created such a favorable impression.

The bass part will be sung by Dr. Johns and the tenor solos by L. Jones and Mr. Spooner; Chorister Booth will sing the soprano recitative.

Programmes containing all the words are obtainable at Fletcher Brothers', Douglas Street.

NOTED WOOL MERCHANT WAS ON AORANGI

Lord Barnby Left Ship at Honolulu and Will Go to San Francisco

Lord Barnby, partner in the firm of Francis Willey and Company, wool merchants of Bradford, Yorks., and Boston, Mass., traveled by the liner Aorangi from Sydney and Auckland to Honolulu, where he disembarked to take passage to San Francisco.

He was controller of wool supplies under the War Department and organized the purchase and distribution of the British and colonial wool clips during the war. He was recalled from Gallipoli to serve as assistant director of ordnance clothing stores, dealing with the recovery and repair of all military uniforms.

He is a director of Lloyd's Bank Limited, the Commercial Union Assurance Company Limited and the Central Electricity Board in England.

He will spend some time in the United States and will inspect the company's plant at Boston before taking passage from New York for home.

INQUEST ON AUTO ACCIDENT VICTIM

Rev. F. R. B. Leacroft Dies From Injuries Received in Mishap

An inquest will probably be held tomorrow morning at McCall Brothers Funeral Parlors over the body of Rev. F. R. B. Leacroft, former Alberta clergyman, who died in St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday evening, following an automobile mishap Christmas eve at the intersection of Humboldt and Blanshard Streets.

Rev. Mr. Leacroft had both legs broken in the accident, being knocked down by an automobile when he stepped off the curb in front of it. He was sixty-seven years of age and the injuries proved fatal.

He had been living here two years, having formerly resided in Bassano, Alberta.

DOG POPULATION IN CITY GROWS

One Canine For Every Thirty Victorians, Official Figures Show

Based on a population of 45,000, there is approximately one dog for every thirty people in Victoria, dog tax collection figures show.

During 1930 a total of 1,489 single dog taxes and fifteen kennel licenses were taken out here, kennel licenses being for ten or more dogs. This was an increase over 1929 when 1,400 single tags and ten kennel licenses were registered.

Dog taxes fall due at the first of the year, and all canines must bear their new licenses by the end of this month, it was announced to-day.

FIELDS WILL STAND AGAIN FOR PREMIER

Local Boy Selected With Three Others For Offices in 1931 Boys' Parliament

Gordon Fields, Victoria, Government Critic in the last house; Cameron Gorrie, Minister of Finance; Scott McLaren, speaker, and possibly Jim Newton, Minister of Devotional Affairs, will be candidates for the three highest seats in next year's Tuxis Older Boys' Parliament, it was decided at a final caucus following the general session of the Tuxis house Wednesday evening.

Newton has been named as an alternative in case one of the other three candidates cannot stand for the three offices at the head of the Parliament.

Under a special ruling three lads are selected at the end of every session to stand for election to the Premiership, the post of Government Critic or that of Provincial Secretary.

When the Boys' Parliament convenes next year the different members will vote for one of the above candidates. The boy securing the highest number of votes will be made Premier, the second in order will be Government Critic and the third Provincial Secretary.

Following the caucus at which these candidates were selected, George Ross, of the Vancouver Y.M.C.A., conducted a devotional period and the mainland members left immediately on the Vancouver boat.

EXPECT CROWD AT "OPEN HOUSE" OF LOCAL "Y"

Fine Programme Arranged For Entertainment of Guests at Annual Event To-night

Hundreds of friends and parents of members of the Y.M.C.A. are expected to attend the open house at the local association this evening and enjoy the varied programme of exhibitions planned for the function. Complete arrangements have been made for the event, which is staged to give the parents and friends of those belonging to the "Y" an opportunity to see the different activities in which they take part.

Following the gymnasium display, which will commence at 7.45 o'clock, exhibitions of swimming, taking in not only the elementary lessons, but displays by experienced competitors, will be given in the association's pool, while later in the evening members of the Model Aircraft Club will fly their models for the guests.

Refreshments will be served.

In addition to presenting a general programme of calisthenics and apparatus work in the gym, the association will present its new brass band under the direction of Bandmaster Hodgins.

The event promises to be of particular interest and should draw a large crowd.

Fire Loss Was Lower Last Year

The 1930 fire loss in Victoria was more than thirty per cent. less than the previous year, according to the estimate of Fire Chief Vernon Stewart. The loss for last year is put at about $87,000, which is nearly $13,000 less than 1929.

Over a period of twenty-one years the average fire loss is $101,538, so that 1930 was an exceptionally good year in this regard. The local department answered 525 calls during the year, less than two a day, and loss was recorded in 102 cases.

137 INTOXICATED LOS ANGELANS TAKEN TO COURT

Los Angeles, Jan. 2.—Police records showed to-day how the old year was "wrung" out and the new "wrung" in by celebrants in Los Angeles Wednesday evening and Thursday morning.

Between midnight and noon yesterday sixty men and fourteen women were arrested on charges of intoxication. On New Year's Eve sixty men and three women were jailed on similar charges, making a total of 130 male and seventeen female celebrants apprehended while "wringing" the old and new out and in, respectively—and alcoholically.

MEXICO CITY MAN WHO KILLED MAN IS FREED

Mexico City, Jan. 2.—Jesus Ballestin, prominent Mexico City merchant, was released from custody to-day under the first application of that section of the new Mexican penal code which legitimises killing in defence of honor.

AUSTRALIA'S REVENUE FALLS

Canadian Press Cable via Reuter's

Canberra, Australia, Jan. 2.—The Commonwealth customs revenue for the six months ended December 31, 1930, was £4,407,000 below the revenue estimated for the period. The total revenue for the last six months of 1930 was £15,443,000, as compared with £23,116,000 for the corresponding period of 1919.

OWEN SOUND ELECTION

Owen Sound, Ont., Jan. 2.—Freeman McRobert yesterday was elected mayor of Owen Sound, defeating Tom Walden Thomson, who was mayor in 1930, by a majority of 375 votes.

"Everything in Music"
FOR SIXTY YEARS Fletcher Bros. has offered musical people of Victoria a choice of the world's finest musical instruments. To-day, at the commencement of another year, this store is equipped to serve the musical needs of the community more completely than it has ever been in the past. "Everything in Music" is indicative of the scope of this store's service.
FLETCHER BROS (VICTORIA) LTD.
1110 Douglas Street

Stevenson's Homemade Chocolates And Candies
725 YATES ST. TWO STORES 1119 DOUGLAS ST.
Mother! Wife! Sweetheart! Sister! Treat to refreshments in our cosy Tearooms. Our Night Club Specials will more than please.

Wishing All Our Friends and Patrons a Happy and Prosperous New Year
Hawkins & Hayward Ltd.
1121 Douglas St., Cor. View Phone E-mpire 1171

AGUA CALIENTE ENTRIES

First race—Five and a half furlongs:
Florence Dolan 105
Hootinany 102
Don K. 107
Seth's Queen 105
Dixie Beauty 105
Ada El Bee 100
Patricia Clare 105
Captain Devil 112
Flywood 112
Ritter 113
Fair Heather 102
Chard 110
Cup Bearer 102
Red Mountain 110
Forger 107
Phil K. 115
Ruth C. 108
Brown Bank 102

Second race—Five and a half furlongs:
Triunfo 102
Gee Whiz 102
Bob Blackburn 107
Compiler 102
Dr. Billy 107
Field Marshal 110
Shasta Graney 107
Capt. Gilbert 107
Martinas 115
Brooksie 108
Seth's Companion 113
Bonny Beau 107
Aalii 107
King Bank 110
Clytie C. 107
Heatzin 112
Maryetta 103
Billy Henry 107

Third race—Mile and two furlongs:
Kitty 115
Blasilla 115
Wild Della 115
Satin Princess 115
I Say 115
M. Hogan 115
Caliente Lady 115
Miss Morocco 115
Taches 115

Fourth race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Frank Gallor 109
Big Joke 90
Kublai Khan 114
Clermont Jr. 112
Nadini Lake 95
Donna Ulrica 112
Prickly Heat 109

Fifth race—Six furlongs:
Sandy River 108
Annan 113
Short Price 105
McGenigle 114
Parnell Boy 103
Dark Ayr 111
Starference 104
Bet On 103

Six race—Six furlongs:
Zelma Mac 113
Peace Johnny 108
Nick Carter 103
Rose Cariaris 103
Scotland Wise 98
Sala 105
Ella Madeline 108
War Widow 103
Oaten 105
Miss Jean 103
Gordon Blue 105
Slippery Velt 103
Speedy Al 110
Miss Cheyenne 111

Seventh race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Lamkin 109
Gotham 109
Gallardo 109
Ella May 107
Conciliation 112
Saddle Skirts 107
Othello 107
Rattle 105
Enthus Edward 113

JAPANESE WAS BADLY INJURED IN CELEBRATION

Sight of One Eye and Eardrums of Man Destroyed By Bomb Explosion

Cumberland, Jan. 2.—Celebrating the new year with fire crackers and bombs, Tenaka, a Japanese employee of the Royston Lumber Company, was badly injured, blinding him in one eye and destroying the eardrums, it is reported.

Terrible face injuries were inflicted. He was rushed to the Cumberland Hospital, where two doctors and Dr. Eakins, eye specialist, summoned from Nanaimo, operated on Tuesday, in an endeavor to save one of his eyes.

BURMA REBEL LEADER KILLED

Rangoon, Burma, Jan. 2.—The mysterious "man who would be king," who directed the recent series of savage raids on Burmese jungle villages, is believed to have been killed by government troops which returned to-day after sacking the rebel stronghold and burning an almost impregnable place.

Efforts to Avert Strike in England

Manchester, Eng., Jan. 2.—There seemed a possibility to-day that the threatening strike in the Lancashire cotton industry might be averted. Representatives of weavers and mill owners were in conference and it was understood they expected to reach some compromise.

PREMIER TO SPEAK

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—Premier S. F. Tolmie is to be guest of honor at a reception to be given by the Vancouver Conservative Association in Moose Hall next Monday evening, January 5. There will be dancing and a concert programme as well as platform addresses by the Premier and other ministers.

JANUARY SALE BARGAINS FOR SATURDAY

January Clearance of Children's Coats and Dresses

Blanket Cloth Coats, fur-trimmed and in shades of blue and fawn. Sizes 7 to 12 years only. Each, **$6.75, $8.50** and **$14.95**

Children's Bloomer Dresses of fine Jersey cloth, with bloomers to match. Sizes 2 to 6. Each **$2.95**

Girls' Velvet, Tricolet and Flannelette Dresses. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Each, **$2.75, $3.50** and **$4.75**

—Children's Wear, First Floor

Children's Printed Handkerchiefs

Values to 10c, for..... **5c**

Fine quality Cambric Handkerchiefs with fancy printed borders. In a variety of designs. Ideal for school. —Main Floor

Foundation Garments

On Sale Saturday

Back-laced Corsets of cotton brocade with elastic top; lightly boned. Each **$1.00**

Fancy Cotton Brassieres, medium depth with well-shaped top; low back. Each **$1.00**

Fancy Cotton Corselettes with inner belt. Side-hook style. Each **$1.19**

—Corsets, First Floor

5,000 Pairs of Children's Hose

Regular to $1.50. A Pair

59c

Golf and Long Hose of wool and silk and wool, in two-tone effects. Shades are beige, fawn, grey and black. Sizes 5 to 10. A pair..**59¢**

—Lower Main Floor

Women's Scarves At Sale Prices

Knitted Scarves, green, yellow and pink shades. Regular $1.50, for .....**39¢**

Printed Georgette Scarves with stencilled borders. Regular 98c, for.....**49¢**

—Main Floor

50c Turkey Luncheon Saturday

From 11.30 Till 2 p.m.
Dining-room, Third Floor

MENU
Roast Young Turkey and Dressing
Creamed Cauliflower
Roast Brown Potatoes
Orange and Pineapple
Ice Cream and Wafers
Hot Mince and Apple Pie

A Large Selection of Women's Knitted Suits

Very smart Suits in two and three-piece styles. On sale at

HALF PRICE

—Mantles, First Floor

Our Entire Stock of Women's Pullovers and Cardigans

On Sale at

$2.90, $3.90, $4.90 and $5.90

Also a large selection of Imported Sweaters, sold regularly at $15.00, $17.50, $20.00 and $22.50. On sale for, each, at **$9.90**

All-wool Silk and Wool and fine Cashmere Sweaters in plain shades or patterns.

—Sweaters, First Floor

January Sale Bargains in Silks

Figured Georgette, all silk, many colorings and patterns, Regular, a yard, $2.98. On sale for **$1.59**

33-inch Pongee Silk. On sale, at a yard **39c**

36-inch Silk Taffeta, light and dark shades. $1.98 value, for **98c**

36-inch Embroidery Georgette, with heavy tinsel embroidery. Black and gold, black and white, green and gold, white and gold. Regular, a yard, $12.50, for **$4.75**

36-inch Figured Silks, regular value $1.00, for **39c**

36-inch Figured Silk in attractive patterns and colors. Value, a yard, $2.75, for **$1.39**

Black Duchesse Satin, yard ... **$1.00**

36-inch Figured Silks, value a yard, $1.49, for **69c**

—Silks, Main Floor

Coatings and Dress Goods

54-inch Cheviot Coatings for children's wear. Regular $1.98, for **$1.39**

36-inch Wool Repps; make inexpensive dresses. Regular, a yard, 98c, for ..... **59¢**

36-inch Black Cashmerette; fast color. Regular, a yard, 59c, for ..... **39¢**

—Dress Goods, Main Floor

January Sale of Gloves

Regular 59c. A Pair..... **39c**

Regular 75c. A Pair..... **59c**

After the Christmas shopping we find we have many broken assortments in sizes and styles. These we are clearing out at very low prices.

Smart Novelty Gloves with tailored or embroidered cuffs, in turn-back and flare effects.

All This Season's Shades from Our Regular Stock

—Gloves, Main Floor

January Sale of House Dresses

Hooverette Dresses of prints, in light shades. Small, medium and large sizes. Special, each.....**$1.00**

Morning Frocks of good quality prints, in a range of shades. Short sleeves. Sizes 36 to 51. Each, at **$1.00**

Print and Broadcloth House Dresses, in flare or straight styles, with short or no sleeves. Regular $2.50, for **$1.49**

House Dresses of best quality prints, in flared or straight styles. Special **$2.19**

—Whitewear, First Floor

Women's and Misses' Fur-trimmed Coats

Marked to Sell at

$10.00, $15.00 and $20.00

All Amazing Values

—Mantles, First Floor

January Sale of Women's Hosiery

Regular 65c Values For **39c**

Regular $1.95 Values For **$1.00**

1,200 pairs of Thread Silk Hose, every pair perfect, semi-fashioned with reinforced square heels. A range of shades, also black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10, a pair.....**39¢**

A clearance of 6,000 pairs of Silk Hose. Noted makes; odd lines. Full-fashioned with Slendo and pointed heels. Many shades; 8½ to 10½. A pair **$1.00**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Sale of Needlework

Ginghams, Linens and Unbleached Aprons. Reduced to clear at, each.....**50¢**

Children's Unbleached Aprons in simple designs for embroidery. Made up. Each ..... **25¢**

White Dresser Scarves, stamped on good quality cotton for embroidery. Each, at ..... **50¢**

Guest and Tea Towels. Good values at, each ..... **50¢**

Sateen and Linen Bridge Table Covers. Attractive designs. Each .....**50¢**

Silk Cushions in Colonial stencilled designs, with quilting effects. Each...**$1.00**

Full-size Bedspreads, stamped on colored gingham. Also unbleached with colored insert. Regular $2.75, each **$1.95**

—Needlework, First Floor

Linens at Sale Prices

Odd lines in Oyster Linen Luncheon Cloths. Values to $7.95 each, grouped to clear at, per set, **$1.98, $2.98** and **$3.98**

Odd lines in Luncheon Sets trimmed with Madeira embroidery or appliques. Values from $6.50 to $9.75. A set..... **$4.95**

—Staples, Main Floor

Bargains in Towels

White Bath Towels with colored borders. Each, **35¢**

Colored Striped Turkish Towels, large size. Each..**29¢**

White Huck Towels with colored borders. Each..**25¢**

Extra large Bath Sheets with fancy colored stripes. Each **$1.49**

Bath Mats in all wanted colorings. Each.....**98¢**

Colored Striped Turkish Roller Toweling. Values to 55c, per yard .....**29¢**

Linen Crash or Colored Striped Turkish Roller Towels. 2½ yards long. Each .....**50¢**

Striped Tea Towels. Each.....**15¢**

Pure Linen Tea Towels, checked or with colored borders. Pair ..... **38¢**

—Staples, Main Floor

Laces and Insertions at Sale Prices

36-inch Gold and Silver Flouncing, on sale at

Half Price

White Guipure Lace, in neat designs. Values to 50c a yard, for ..... **10¢**

All Lace Remnants at .....**HALF PRICE**

Guipure Lace and Insertion, in a variety of patterns. 50c values for .....**10¢**

—Laces, Main Floor

Ironing Board Covers

150 only, Ironing Board Pad and Cover. Complete set. Regular 95c, at .....**65¢**

Pad of heavy quality felt, non-inflammable. Cover of unbleached cotton with eyelets and lace, ready to slip on.

—Main Floor

100 ONLY

Heavy Quality Rubber Aprons

Coverall styles, in fancy mottled effects. Also Tea Aprons. Exceptional values. Regular 95c, each.....**59¢**
Regular 75c, each.....**50¢**

—Main Floor

17 Boxes of Delicious Apples

While they last. At, per box **$1.99**

—Fruit, Lower Main

A Large Selection of Dresses

Reduced to Sell at

$4.50, $7.50 and $12.50

—Mantles, First Floor

Loose Covers for Your Chesterfield Suites

Values $50.00 to $70.00. Made Now for..... **$34.50**

A large special purchase of block-printed Cretonnes at a great reduction allows us to quote this very low price. Also many lines from our regular stock will be used in this work—

For three-piece set **$34.50**
For Chesterfield only **$19.50**
For chair only **$9.75**

—Draperies, Second Floor

January Shoe Sale

Selected lines of Women's Vogue Shoes, in blue kid, brown or black suede, water snake and brown kid. Regular from $12.50 to $15.00. A pair **$9.90**

Vogue, Queen Quality and other high-grade Shoes for women. Selling regularly at $11.00 to $15.00. A pair..... **$7.85**

All La Mode Shoes, in black and brown kid, featuring the latest styles in smart footwear. Also Invictus Sports Shoes. Regular $7.50 and $8.00 a pair. Reduced to **$5.85**

Queen Quality, Beaubien and other Shoes of best makes. Regularly sold from $9.00 to $12.00. A pair..... **$6.85**

Tan or Black Sports Shoes—Pedigo patent leather and many other short lines. Selling regularly at $7.50 and $8.00 a pair, for.. **$4.95**

—First Floor

Two Feature Groups of Women's Shoes

On the Bargain Highway

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$2.95 and $3.95

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Remnants of Damask, Tapestries, Casement Cretonne, Curtain Nets and other drapery materials. All short ends from our stocks are included in this sale.

—Draperies, Second Floor

January Sale of Silk Lingerie

Clearance of odd lines of Rayon Crepe de Chine and Spun Silk Lingerie. Greatly reduced to **$1.00** and **$2.00**

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For Saturday

January Sale of Bedding

Grey Wool Blankets in double-bed size. Each, at **$2.49**

White Pure Wool Blankets—
Single-bed size, pair, **$7.49**
Three-quarter bed size, pair, at **$8.49**
Double-bed size, pair, **$9.45**

Pure Wool Blankets in blue and camel shades only. Each, at **$3.98**

Cotton-filled Comforters, attractively covered. Each, **$2.49**

Heavy White Cotton Sheets, 72x99 inches. Pair .. **$2.98**

Mattress Covers of unbleached sheeting—
Single-bed size, each **$1.65**
Three-quarter-bed size, each **$1.85**

Pillow Cases of striped and floral ticking; each ..... **49¢**

Fully Bleached Pillow Cases—
Hemmed, pair ..... **40¢**
Hemstitched, pair ..... **50¢**

Down-filled Comforters, all finished in panel effects. At **$6.49, $7.95** and **$11.95**

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Double-bed size, each **$1.49**

Rayon Silk Bedspreads in double-bed size. In rose, blue, gold and green. Each **$3.98**

White Krinkelette Bedspreads, 72x90 inches. Each, **$2.00**

—Staples, Main Floor

Drug Sundries and Toiletries

January Sale Money Savers

Vicks' Vapo Rub, regular 50c size for ..... **34¢**

Adler-i-ka, regular $1.25 size, for ..... **73¢**

Dr. Howard's Health Salts, regular 35c size, for ..... **25¢**
2 for ..... **45¢**

Seidlitz Powders, regular 25c box, for ..... **13¢**
2 for ..... **25¢**

Petrolatum, heavy liquid, regular 65c bottle, for ..... **35¢**
3 for **$1.00**

Norwegian Pure Cod Liver Oil, 16 ounce, regular 75c, for ... **48¢**

Gerrard's True Flower Oil Perfumes, regular $1.00 size .... **48¢**

Talcums, 1-lb. tins, each .... **18¢**

Hot Water Bottles, special values at ..... **78¢**

Best Olive Oil, 35c value .... **18¢**

Glycerine and Rose Water, 25c size ..... **15¢**
50c size ..... **27¢**

Absorbent Cotton, 1-lb., hospital quality ..... **48¢**

Shaving Creams, 35c tubes, One Gillette Razor free with each tube

Modess, regular size, with 3 extra compressed packages for .... **49¢**

Cuticura Soap, box of 3 cakes, 75c value, for ..... **57¢**

Oriental Bath Soap, 15c cakes, box of 12 cakes for ..... **98¢**

Kruschen Salts, large size, with extra free package ..... **69¢**

Hair Brushes, English, wire set in cushion backs, $1.00 values .. **68¢**

Complexion Creams, various lines at ..... **HALF PRICE**

MILITARY HAIR BRUSHES FRENCH IVORY
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Men's Suits and Overcoats

Overcoats of Tweed and overcoatings; new models. Single or double breasted **$12.50**

Overcoats of Chinchilla, Melton cloth, check backs and heavy coatings. Newest styles **$18.50**

Suits of tweeds and worsteds. Young men's models or standard styles. Regular values $25.00. On sale for ... **$14.75**

Suits of all-wool tweeds and worsteds. New styles, latest shades and weaves. $35.00 values for **$19.50**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

January Sale of Electrical Goods

Electric Kitchen Units, including canopy, receptacle and globe. A very neat and attractive light fixture, at **$1.34**

40 and 60 Watt Tungsten Lamps, guaranteed 1,000 hours. Special, each ..... **18¢**
Or 7 for **$1.00**

Electric Hot Plates, element fixed in bed of porcelain, with cord and plug complete for **$1.75**

Copper Reflector Electric Heaters. Cone shaped element with cord complete. Each **$3.49**

Electric Curling Irons with flexible cord ..... **98¢**
Electric Soldering Irons **$1.50**

—Lower Main Floor

JANUARY SALE OF Boys' Clothing

Tweed Suits.
Value $16.50, for **$9.95**

Tweed Overcoats.
Value $15.00, for **$9.95**

Single and double-breasted Suits, in grey and brown shades. Most of them have two pairs of pants. Sizse 32 to 36. Each, at **$9.95**

Tweed Overcoats in heather mixtures. Double breasted, belted backs and half lined. Sizes 30 to 37 ..... **$9.95**

Juvenile Overcoats of grey and brown tweeds and blue chinchillas. Double breasted. Sizes 20 to 26. Regular $9.95, on sale for **$4.95**

Men's Shoes

On Sale Saturday

Men's Smart Oxford Shoes in black calfskin. A big group of styles for all lasts. Reduced to a pair **$4.95**

Men's Boots in winter and medium weights. Also short lines of Invictus Oxfords. Reduced to, a pair **$5.85**

—Main Floor

Men's Negligee Shirts

$1.00, $1.25 and $1.95

Negligee Shirts with collar attached. Plain shades or stripes. Each **$1.00**

Negligee Shirts with fancy stripes on a white ground. Separate collar; regular value $1.75, for **$1.25**

Broadcloth Shirts in stripe patterns, separate starch or soft collar **$1.95**
Or 2 for **$3.75**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's All-wool Socks

A Pair

85c

Fine Wool Socks with reinforced heels and toes; fancy patterns ..... **85¢**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Astrachan Gloves

For Youths and Men

Priced to Clear, a Pair,

$1.39

They have leather fronts and are rubber lined.

—Main Floor

Men's Ties

Wide-end Silk Ties. A variety of patterns; wool lined. Regular $1.00 values for ..... **55¢**
Or 2 for **$1.00**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Boys' Plus Four Tweed Suits

$15.90 Values for **$7.95**

Single and double breasted, with vest. Sizes 32 to 36. Each **$7.95**

—Boys' Store, Government Street

Boys' Mackinaw Coats

$5.95 Values for **$3.95**

$8.50 Values for **$5.95**

All-wool Coats, in fancy heathers and overchecks. Double breasted and belted; heavy storm collar. Sizes 24 to 36 ..... **$3.95**

Pure-wool Heavy Mackinaw Coats, in fancy overchecks. Belted, moleskin lining. Sizes 26 to 36. On sale for **$5.95**

—Boys' Store, Government Street

Boys' Broadcloth Shirts

$1.50 Values For **$1.00**

Shirts with collar attached. Fancy patterns; sizes 12 to 14½. Each **$1.00**

—Boys' Store, Government Street

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For January Sale Clearance

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Saturday

Misses' Blue Chinchilla Coats

Values to $10.75, for

$6.75

Coats with half or full belt. Two pockets and lined throughout. Each, at **$6.75**

Children's Jersey-knit Flannel Dresses

Values $2.95, for

$1.98

Grey, blue, green, red, fawn and tan; for 8 to 14 years **$1.98**

Ladies' and Children's Hats

Values to $2.95, for **$1.00**

Ladies' Velvet Hats

Values $4.75, for $1.95

Shades are maroon, black, blue and fawn. Each **$1.95**

Ladies' Wool and Silk and Wool Coat Sweaters

On Sale, Each, $2.95

Single or double-breasted styles with collar and two pockets; 36 to 44 ..... **$2.95**

Ladies' Black Broadcloth Smocks

Value $1.98, for $1.00

Smocks with fancy collar and cuffs; also House Dresses in short or sleeveless styles. Regular $1.98 values, for **$1.00**

Ladies' Bath Robes

On Sale for $2.75

Robes with collar and cuffs and trimmed with silk cord and girdle.

"RODEO" WOOL RUGS

Size 66x60 inches. Each **$1.79**

The Bargain Highway Shoe Department

Features for the opening of the January Sale—two big groups of Women's Shoes. All leathers and materials included—styles are ties, pumps and straps in almost infinite variety. Reduced to

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—Lower Main Floor

Men's Tweed Suits and Overcoats

Values to $20.00, for **$9.50**

Tweed Suits in sizes for small men; all-wool material. Grey and brown shades. Single breasted and are silk lined. Sizes 34, 35 and 37. Each, **$9.50**

Men's Heavy Wool Tweed Overcoats, winter weight. Raglan or set-in sleeves. Medium and dark grey shades. Sizes 34, 36 and 39 only. Each **$9.50**

—Bargain Highway

Men's Dress Shirts Values to $1.50 for 75c

Broadcloth, Cambric and Crepe Shirts; plain or stripes. Separate or attached collars; 14 to 17, each ..... **75¢**

Flannel Lumberjacks with elastic waistband, two pockets and roll collar. Sizes 34 to 44. Regular $3.00 values, for **$1.00**

Men's Cotton Dress Socks, a pair ..... **10¢**

Rayon and Cotton Socks; fast color, seamless and unshrinkable. 6 pairs for **$1.00**

Boys' Golf Hose, wool and silk and wool. Fancy tops; 7½ to 10½. Reg. 98c, for **59¢**

Men's Felt Hats, fedora, snap or welted brims; fawn and grey; 6⅝ to 7½. $2.00 values, for **$1.25**

Men's Underwear Special, 75c

Heavy Fleeced, Winter-weight Shirts and Drawers. Shirts, 34 to 44; drawers, 38 only. A garment ..... **75¢**

Heavy Fleeced Winter-weight Combinations, long sleeves and ankle length; 40 to 44. Regular, a suit, $1.75, for ..... **75¢**

Moodies' Heavy Cotton Combinations with rayon stripe. $1.50 value, for ..... **75¢**

"Tru-Knit" Creal Elastic Knit Shirts and Drawers. Long sleeves and ankle length; sizes 32 to 46, a garment ..... **75¢**

Heavy Khaki or Blue Denim Overalls, "Big Horn" brand. Bib and braces; 36 to 44. $2.00 values, for **$1.00**

Heavy Cottonade Work Pants, with belt loops and cuff bottoms; 32 to 44. On sale, a pair **$1.65**

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Bulls Whip Up Prices As 1931 Opens In Pits

1931 opened as a happy New Year for grain bulls, with corn in Chicago jumping 4½ cents and July wheat, the only unpegged option, rising 3⅝ cents. Winnipeg wheat followed up with a rise of two cents.

Liverpool to-day ignored the Winnipeg break of Wednesday, and the firmer Argentine rate and less pressure from Argentine shippers caused shorts to cover. There were also smaller shipments from Russia.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—S. C. Harris of Scott, Burrows and Christie, in concluding an answer to a statement made by Chairman Legge of the Farm Board on Wednesday regarding the elimination of short selling, says:

"Politicians with restrictive measures of that kind will further throttle the maintenance of free markets and are only simply threatening their own agricultural constituents with monetary damage which would result from lack of an open market.

"We believe this kind of political ammunition is losing its appeal to the rural voters. The sooner political demagogues discourage this, the better off producers will be."

Chicago, Jan. 2.—The Journal of Commerce to-day says:

"There is a growing conviction among many students of the market that world's wheat prices are now on an investment basis. Improvement in the market is expected to be gradual and not without interruptions, but new developments in the situation are expected to favor the bulls. It would seem that the bearish features that have kept prices on the down grade for many months are now discounted.

"Consumption of wheat the world over is undoubtedly larger than usual, due to the cheapness of the grain and on account of low prices reduced production is indicated.

"Available supply of wheat is in excess of average consumptive needs. It is doubtful if consumption this season will be increased sufficiently to wipe out this surplus, but it is promised to bring about a substantial decrease in the carry-over. Thus with any indication of materially reduced production this year, the reaction will be in favor of the ones who have wheat for investment."

WINNIPEG

(By Logan & Bryan)

Winnipeg, Jan. 2.—Wheat: While there was only a small trade passing in wheat to-day, prices throughout were higher, and on the extreme upturn were about 2¼ cents higher than the close on Wednesday and were fractionally through the daily offers. The main strength appeared to be in Chicago corn and July wheat, both which scored gains of 2½ cents. The buying here was difficult to locate, but Chicago interests took small amounts from time to time while there was a little short covering, and probably a little investment buying through commission houses.

Offerings were extremely light throughout the day, there being very little for sale, but increased slightly as prices went through the offers. Outside of a cargo, or about 250,000 bushels, sold to the Orient, which was not reflected in this market, the export business over the holiday was very small, being confined to an odd lot here and there.

The day was very small for cash wheat and spreads on top grades were ½ off from Wednesday's close. Offerings were light but buyers were indifferent. Flour trade is reported as very quiet. Sentiment appears to be more friendly toward the wheat market despite the tremendous world's surplus and the very moderate foreign demand. However, prices are extremely lower and the majority of opinion seems to be that they are not going lower than they have been and might easily do better with any constructive news. The market closed practically the top for the day and showed gains of 2 to 2⅛ cents.

Coarse grains—The feature of these markets to-day was the buying of around 500,000 bushels of barley by a prominent Chicago house and it is believed this will be taken into the United States for feed purposes. Trade in other directions was very small, but there was no pressure on the market, and generally speaking sentiment is friendly. The strength in wheat was reflected in the coarse grains.

Oats closed ⅞ to 1⅛ higher, barley ⅜ to ⅝ higher and 1¼ higher for rye.

Flax—This market was also strong, closing prices being 3 to 2 cents up. However there was very little going on and offerings were extremely light.

Liverpool due 1⅜ higher, based on Winnipeg.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	54-6	56-3	54-3	56-2
July	55-7	57-6	55-4	57-4
Oats—				
May	27-1	28	27	28
July	27-5	28-5	28	28-5
Rye—				
May	31-1	32-6	31	32-1
July	32-2	33-3	32-2	33-2
Barley—				
May	26-4	27-1	26-3	27-1
July	27-4	28-1	27-7	28-1
Flax—				
May	96	99	96	99
July	98-6	100	98-6	100

Cash Grain Close

Wheat—1 n., 53⅝; 2 n., 56¼; 3 n., 46⅝; 4 w., 44⅝; 5 w., 39⅝; 6, 37⅝; feed, 35⅝.

Oats—2 c.w., 25; 3 c.w., 22; ex. 1 feed, 22; 1 feed, 20; 2 feed, 17⅝; rej., 15.

Rye—1 and 2 c.w., 28⅛; 3 c.w., 25⅝; rej., 23⅝.

Barley—3 c.w., 23⅝; 4 c.w., 20⅝; 5 c.w., 18⅝; 6 c.w., 16⅝.

Flax—1 n.w.c., 93⅛; 2 c.w., 89⅛; 3 c.w., 74; rej., 74.

INDEMNITIES FOR SATURDAY

(By Logan & Bryan)

Chicago	Bid	Asked
July	64-4	67-1
Winnipeg		
May	55-3	57-7
July	56-4	58-7

LIVERPOOL

Liverpool, Jan. 2.—The following grain quotations were supplied by Broomhall, Liverpool, to-day, all prices c.i.f. (cost, insurance and freight), Liverpool. Canadian money:

No. 1 Man. nor., shipment Jan., 72⅛.
No. 2 Man. nor., Atlantic shipment Jan., 70⅛.
Argentine (Barusso), shipment, Jan.-Feb., 63⅛.
Australian (Resafe, 63½ lbs.), shipment Jan.-Feb., 61½.
Australian (new crop), shipment Jan., 74⅛.
Russian (afloat), average sample, 63.

Note: The above was translated from British weights and currency to Canadian bushels and money at to-day's exchange rate between banks, which was $4.84 5-16.

CHICAGO

(By Logan & Bryan)

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Wheat: Developed a much stronger tone, with an absence of the pressure that has been noticeable for some time past. Winnipeg was strong and there was a fairly steady tone in foreign markets although Liverpool closed ⅛ to ⅜ lower. Seaboard reported a better tone to cables, although actual export business was still of small proportions. The weather was still mostly fair and mild.

Local cash trade fair and there was some concern over the lack of the usual amount of precipitation. Receipts here were 262 cars estimated, with primary arrivals 1,525,000 bushels against 617,000 bushels a year ago. Firmness in stocks checked selling to some extent. Russian shipments were smaller at 1,216,000 bushels with 2,192,000 bushels from Australia and 1,255,000 bushels from Argentine. The southern hemisphere countries are selling leisurely and Europe may have to be more eager for wheat from this continent before long, as world's shipments promise to be light, with another decrease on ocean passage.

At current levels there will likely be less pressure and with steadier prices look for marked revival in the flour trade. On setbacks favor buying side.

Corn: Developed a strong tone as well as wheat, in fact corn was the leader on the upswing. Shorts covered after market got under way and prices moved up over three cents from the early low point. Cash demand was fair, basis about steady and country offerings small. Outside interest was larger. Receipts were 114 cars estimated, primary arrivals 779,000 bushels against 1,284,000 bushels a year ago.

All indications point to heavy consumption of corn, and while would not care to follow the bulge, think corn can be bought on all fair recessions.

Oats: Turned strong with other grains, and there was no great pressure at any time. The general strength in other grains was a late factor, but early oats showed relatively independent strength. On the dips favor buying side and look for a better trading market.

Rye: Was up with other grains and there did not appear to be much pressure.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
March	79-4	80	79-3	80
May	81-4	81-5	81-4	81-5
July	62-6	65-6	62-3	61-6
Corn—				
March	66-3	70-4	66-3	70-4
May	69	72-4	68-3	72-2
July	69-6	72-6	68-4	72-3
Oats—				
March	31-6	33-6	32-1	33-2
May	32-1	33-3	32-2	33-2
Rye—				
March	40-4	42-4	40-3	42-4
May	41-4	43-3	41-2	43-5

Cash Grain Close

Wheat—1 r., 81; 1 h., 78⅝; 2 h., 78¼ to 78½; 1 n.s., 72¼ to 76½.

Corn—3 m., 62½ to 63; 4 m., 60⅝ to 63; 5 m., 58⅝ to 60½; 2 y., 64½ to 65⅝; 3 y., 62½ to 64⅝; 4 y., 60⅝ to 63⅝; 3 y., 59 to 1; 3 w., 66; 4 w., 65 to 66.

Oats—2 w., 31½ to 32⅛; 3 w., 31 to 31½.

Rye—No. 1, 48⅛.

UNLISTED CANADIAN STOCKS

(By A. J. Pattison Jr. & Co. Ltd., Toronto)

Industrial Stocks—	Bid	Asked
Andian National Corp.	24.00	28.50
Canada Biscuit pfd.	..	16.00
Canada Packers com.	22.00	27.00
Canadian Westinghouse	75.00	80.00
Dom. Foundries and Steel com.	8.00	11.00
Do., 5% pfd.	65.00	..
Eastern Dairies 7% pfd.	95.50	100.00
Inter. Proprietaries A	29.00	34.00
Rogers Majestic Corp. A	9.00	12.75
Standard Fuel pfd. bonus	73.50	81.00
Insurance Stocks—		
British American Assce.	52.00	..
Canada Life	675.00	750.00
Canada National Fire	..	27.50
Continental Life 20% pd.	71.50	79.00
Great West Life	440.00	550.00
Manufacturers' Life	360.00	395.00
North American Life 20% pd.	70.00	90.00
Saskatchewan Life 10% pd.	18.00	25.00
Sun Life	1400.00	1575.00
Western Assurance	37.00	47.00
Trust and Loan Stocks—		
British Mtge. and Trust	212.00	240.00
Can. Gen. Inv. Trust 1st	..	69.00
Capital Trust	70.00	80.00
Chartered Trust	101.00	118.00
London and Western Trust	..	175.00
Mortgage Discount 6% pfd.	4.25	5.25
Sterling Trust	90.00	100.00
Traders' Finance A pfd.	..	85.00
Trusts and Guaranteed, xd.	86.00	94.00
Waterloo Trust and Savings	121.00	150.00
Power Issues—		
B.C. Elec. Pwr. and Gas pfd.	103.00	105.00
Calgary Power 6% pfd.	90.00	97.00
Can. Light and Power com.	..	30.00
Can. Nor. Power pfd.	103.50	107.50
Can. W. Nat. Gas L.H.&P. pfd.	90.00	95.00
Great Lakes Power pfd.	94.00	99.00

STOCKS DOWN 58 PER CENT IN 15 MONTHS; 26 PER CENT UNDER NOVEMBER, 1929, LOWS

As further accentuation of the unusually low share values prevailing at the end of 1930, it is interesting to consider how the shrinkage in Canadian prices may be interpreted from study of Financial Counsel's daily average.

Last week this average struck a new low for the past year and for the present declining swing at 28.09. This figure indicates a shrinkage in the average of no less than 57.8 per cent from the high established in September of last year, just prior to the wide-open break which continued to November 13, 1929. In that interval the drop in the average worked at 43.2 per cent. The December, 1930, low represents a further shrinkage from last year's low of 25.6 per cent. While the November 13, 1929, level was 43.2 per cent down from the September high, there occurred to April of this year a rally of 28.0 per cent to the 1930 high. The reaction which culminated on June 18 last showed a shrinkage from that point of 27.50 per cent, while the rally which extended to September 17 carried the market up 14 per cent. The reaction from then until this month's low was reached figures out at exactly 30 per cent.

The market average for the year 1930 establishes price fluctuations of a particularly narrow order, the greatest moves occurring through an accumulation of losses from month to month, rather than the establishment of such in certain individual months. For instance, in January the spread between high and low of the average was only 3.45 points; in February 5.30; in March 3.07; in April 3.68; in May 3.01; in June 8.86; in July 2.74 in August 2.53; in September 5.09; in October 5.95; in November 1.44, and in December to date, 3.53 points. Thus, June stands out as the month of greatest movement, with October ranking second, February third, and September fourth. November showed the narrowest spread between high and low of any month in the year. The past month to date shows the sixth widest price spread for the year 1930.

N.Y. BUYING PUTS STOCKS UP IN MONTREAL

Canadian Press

Montreal, Jan. 2.—Considerable improvement was seen in the leaders this afternoon as the first trading day of the New Year ended on the Montreal Stock Exchange.

While the close was irregular, many issues showed gains amounting up to a point.

Included in stronger issues were Nickel, closing at 15⅝, up ¾; Canadian Pacific, up ⅜ at 40¾; Brazilian Traction, up ½ at 21¾; National Steel Car up 1 at 36, and Price Brothers up ¾ at 42¾.

Atlantic Sugar, Abitibi Paper, Bruck Silk, Canada Car, were other issues to close higher.

Walkers opened strong, advanced to 7 by midday and held that figure. Most of the morning buying originated from New York.

(By Logan & Bryan)

	High	Low	Bid
Abitibi Power	..	..	8
Alberta Pacific	5-2	5	5-2
Bell Telephone	..	..	142
Brazilian	21-4	21	21-2
B.C. Power A	..	..	34-7
Do., B	..	..	15-4
Can. Car Foundry	..	..	18-2
Can. Cement	..	..	13
Can. Ind. Alcohol A	..	..	3-3
Can. Steamers	..	..	5-4
Cockshutt Plow	10	9	10
Cons. M. and S.	..	..	14-6
Dominion Bridge	51-7	50-6	51
Dominion Glass	..	..	102-4
Dominion Textile	..	..	80-7
General Steel Wares	..	..	7
Hamilton Bridge	..	..	15-4
Intl. Nickel	15-2	14-6	15-2
Lake of the Woods	..	..	24
Massey Harris	..	..	10
Montreal Power	56-2	54-7	55-7
Natl. Brewing	26-7	26-2	26-6
Natl. Steel Car	36	35-4	35-4
Ogilvie	..	..	22-5
Power Corp.	..	..	51
Quebec Power	42	41	42
Shawinigan	50-4	50-3	50-4
Steel of Canada	40	39-4	40
Curb—			
Assd. Breweries	..	..	7
B.A. Oil	16-2	15	16-4
Distillers Seagram	10	9	10
Imperial Oil	18	17-6	17-6
Intl. Petrol	14-6	14-4	14-6
McColl Frontenac	..	..	18
Page Hersey	..	..	81-6
Walker-Goodsell	6-6	6-2	6-4
Foreign Power	..	..	10-5
Canada Gypsum	11	10-6	11

TO-DAY'S REPORTS ON CALGARY OILS

By Special Service of Miller, Court & Co., Victoria Office

East Crest No. 3 is continuing to make satisfactory drilling progress, the depth yesterday being 1,050 feet. Frequent acid bottle tests have shown the hole to be unusually straight, being less than one degree off vertical. No. 1 and 2A wells are producing slightly under 500 barrels daily.

A test of production was continuing at Okalta No. 2 last week. It is understood that a directors' meeting will be held shortly to discuss the company's further development programme. At present the company has three wells on separators, with two wells—No. 4 and No. 5—shut down.

McLeod No. 5 has blown into production with flow of wet gas of 13,000,000 cubic feet per day, S. G. Edgar, secretary of the company, informed the reviewer.

On Tuesday the gas amounted to 9,800,000 cubic feet, and on Friday was shown by measurement to total 13,000,000 cubic feet. The tools were extracted from the hole and the well was allowed to blow itself clear of pieces of rock and other sediment.

Production was encountered at 5,186 feet, a distance of 230 feet in the lime. No. 5 is situated 400 feet south of No. 3 producer. The gas is wet, but just what the gasoline content will be it is impossible to say at present: Gas encountered at higher levels was wetter than that in the companys' other wells but whether or not this applies to the present flow has not yet been determined.

It would require several days before any estimate of the potential production of the well would be available, in view of the necessity of adjusting back pressure on separators and finding out under just what conditions the maximum amount of production can be obtained.

No. 5 is the fifth well to be brought into production by McLeod Oil Company Limited and is farther west on structure than any other McLeod well in the southwestern quarter of the portion of the lease on which drilling has taken place. It is slightly to the northwest of Sioux City and a quarter of a mile north of Freeman-Lundy. Its performance will throw a considerable light on the possibilities of the McLeod lease to the west and south.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—Futures quotations:

	Open	High	Low	Close
January	54½b	54½b	54½b	54½b
March	57 b	57 b	57 b	57 b

Cash: No. 1 n., 54⅝; No. 1 nor., 53⅝; No. 2 nor., 50⅝; No. 3 nor., 49½; No. 3 nor., 49½; No. 4 w., 46⅝; No. 5 w., 42⅝; No. 6 w., 39⅝; feed, 39⅝.

New Brunswick Pow. 1st pfd.	85.00	70.00
Nova Scotia L. & P. 6% pfd.	94.50	97.50
Ottawa L.H. & P. 6½% pfd.	101.50	..
Power Corp. 6% pfd.	100.00	103.00

GOLD STOCKS UP IN TORONTO

Canadian Press

Toronto, Jan. 2.—Sharp movement among the gold stocks marked the closing hour on the mining market to-day. Turnover, relatively light all day, brightened considerably with prices still rising when the bell sounded.

McIntyre at 22.00, registered a gain of 1.75, Dome was up at 9.45 and Lake Shore and Mining Corporation sold 30 higher at 24.00 and 1.75, respectively. Teck Hughes advanced 15 on the day to 6.30, Wright-Hargreaves 5 to 1.95, Vipond a couple to 1.02, Sylvanite and Kirkland Lake gold 3 apiece to 52 and 58, respectively, and Howey a point to 26. Siscoe, off 3, to 37, showed the only recession in the group.

Noranda and International Nickel, recovering from early easiness, finished up a quarter each at 14.75 and 15.50. Sudbury Basin gained 7 to 60, but Sherritt-Gordon was off 3 on end at 78. White Lake saw renewed demand and moved up 5 to 22.

Higher-priced oils were somewhat reactionary. East Crest advanced 4 to 56, Ajax Oil 3 to 1.61 and Nordon and Acme Gas regained a cent each to 36 and 26, respectively.

(By Logan & Bryan)

	High	Low	Close
Amulet	30	27	29
Coast Copper	450	400	400
Hudson Bay	415	415	415
Hollinger	640	625	625
Lake Shore	2395	2330	2390
Minin. Corporation	170	150	165
McIntyre	2175	2030	2175
Siptisang	..	..	18
Noranda	1455	1425	1455
Premier Gold	70	65	70
Pend Oreille	..	..	80
Teck Hughes	625	620	625
Treadwell	..	..	105
Wright Hargreaves	194	191	191

TORONTO INDUSTRIALS

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)
11 a.m. Quotations

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi Power and Paper pfd.	38½	..
Beatty Bros. com.	18	..
Do. pfd.	75	80
Bell Telephone	141	..
Brazilian T.L. and P.	20⅝	21
B.A. Oil	18⅝	16
B.C. Power A	..	26⅞
Building Products A	21¾	..
Canada Gypsum	10⅞	11
Canadian Hydro-electric	..	73
Canadian Pacific (N.Y.	39½	..
City Dairy com.	55	60
Cockshutt Plow	9	10
Con. Smelters	..	146
Cosmos Imp. com.	..	9
Dominion Bridge	..	51
Dominion Glass	105	110
Ford of Canada A	21	21¼
General Steel Wares	7	7⅞
Hamilton Bridge	15½	17
Hinde & Dauch com.	3⅛	..
Home Oil	175	200
Imperial Oil	18⅛	18¼
International Nickel	14⅝	14⅞
International Petroleum	14⅝	14⅞
International Utilities A	31⅛	..
Lake of the Woods com.	..	24½
Massey Harris com.	10	10⅛
McColl Frontenac	81	17⅞
Montreal Power	54⅞	55
Noranda	1400	1435
Page Hersey Tubes	81	82
Power Corp.	51	52
Quebec Power	41	42
Riverside A	12½	..
Service Station A	32	32½
Do., pfd.	..	99½
Shawinigan W. and P.	50½	50⅞
Sherritt Gordon	78	79
Steel of Canada com.	39½	40
Sudbury Basin	55	..
Ventures	35	40
Walkers G. and W.	6⅞	6⅞
Winnipeg Electric com.	14	15
B.C. Power B	..	13
National Breweries	26⅛	26⅞
Can. Steamships pfd.	16½	..
Imperial Tobacco	91⅛	..
Ogilvie Flour	97	97⅞
Ottawa L.H. and P.	200	285
Sherwin Williams	88	..
Dom. Textile	26	..
Goodyear Tire	89	89⅞
Can. Canners B	13½	90
		13¾

NEW YORK CURB

(By Logan & Bryan)
2 p.m. Quotations

	Bid	Asked
Assd. G. and E.	13⅝	13¾
Carib Syndicate	1	1
Cities Service com.	15⅞	16⅛
Do., pfd.	79	81
Club Aluminum	2	3
Columbia Syndicate	3-16	¼
Contl. Oil	4⅞	10
Creole Pete	3⅝	3⅞
Durant Motors of Del.	1⅛	1⅛
Electric Bond and Share	43¼	43⅝
Engineers Gold	5-16	½
Gulf Oil	65½	66½
Hudson Bay M. and S.	4⅛	4½
Lion Oil Refining	5	5⅝
Newmont Mining	46¼	46⅝
Noranda Mines	14½	15
Niles, Bement Pond	19	19⅛
Pantepec Oil	1⅝	1⅞
Shattuck Denn	3	3⅛
Standard Oil Bld.	37	37½
Stutz Motors	19	19⅛
Todd Shipyard	45½	46½
Transcontinental Airway	3⅝	3⅞
Imperial Oil Canada C.	17½	18
United L. and P. Class A new	24⅝	24⅞
United Verde Ex.	8	8½
Vent. Pete	⅝	⅞
Vacuum Oil	55⅝	56
Hollinger	6⅝	6⅞
Bunker Hill and Sullivan	48	49

NEW YORK METALS

New York, Jan. 2.—Copper, steady; electrolytic, spot and futures, 10½.

Iron, quiet; unchanged.

Tin, firm, spot and nearby, 26.62; futures, 27.00.

Lead, steady; spot New York, 5.10; East St. Louis, 4.95.

Zinc, quiet; East St. Louis spot and futures, 4.10 to 4.15.

Antimony, spot, 7.25.

New York, Jan. 2.—Bar silver, 31⅛.

LONDON METALS AND MONEY

London, Jan. 2.—Copper, standard spot, £46; futures, £48 17s 6; electrolytic, spot, £48 15s; futures, £49 10s.

Tin, spot, £117 15s; futures, £119 5s.

Lead, spot, £14 5s; futures, £14 7s 6d.

Zinc, spot, £13 5s; futures, £13 15s.

Bar silver, 14⅛d per ounce.

Money, 1 per cent.

Discount rates: Short bills, 2⅛ per cent; three months, 2⅝ per cent.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

JANUARY 2

(By Logan & Bryan)

	High	Low	Close
Electrical and Mfg.			
Allis Chalmers Mfg.	34-4	33	34-2
Amn. Brown Boveri	8-6	8-1	8-6
Elec. Auto Lite	54-6	50-7	54-7
El. Storage Bast.	50-7	..	50-7
Foster Wheeler	45-1	40-6	45-1
General Electric	45-4	43	45-5
Int. Combus. Engr.	1-6	..	1-6
Westinghouse El.	94-4	89-4	94-1
Nat'l P. and Lite	33-7	31-6	33-7
Misc. and Mfg.			
Abitibi Pwr. and Paper	8-7	..	8-7
Amn. Can Company	113-7	108-2	113-6
Amn. Ice	27-4	27	27
Amn. Safety Razor	58	57	58
Bendix	18	17-2	18
Burroughs Adding	23-7	23	23-6
Case Threshing	94-6	86-2	94-4
Columbia Graph.	8-4	8	8-4
Consoleum Nairn	7-2	6-7	7-2
Continental Can.	49	47	49
Curtiss Wright	2-6	2-5	2-6
Dupont de Nem	89-7	84-4	89-7
Eastman Kodak	151	144-6	151
Gillette	23	21-1	21-1
Gold Dust	32-6	31-2	32-5
Int. Harvester	50-4	39-2	50-4
Nat. Cash Register	29-5	29	29-5
Pullman	51-5	50-1	50-7
Radio Corp. of Amn.	13-4	12-1	13-4
Remington Rand	15-3	15-1	15-3
Simmons Co.	16-2	14-3	16-2
Underwood Type.	51-4	..	51-4
Worthington Pump	63	59-3	62-4
Rails			
Allegheny Corp.	8-1	7-6	8-1
Atchison	183-2	178-1	182-2
Atlantic Coast	100-6	..	100-6
Balt. and Ohio	71-7	68-1	71-7
Can. Pacific	40-6	39	40-3
Ches. and Ohio	41-2	40	41-2
Chicago and Northw.	34-4	33	34-2
Chicago Gr. West.	6-4	..	6-4
C. M. and St. Paul	6-1	5-2	6-1
Chicago Rock Island	49-4	47-2	49-2
Del. Lack. and West. xd	82-4	80	82-4
Erie	28-6	28	28-6
Gt. Northern Pfd.	60-2	58	60-2
Ill. Central	72-6	69-5	72-6
Louis. and Nash.	90-1	..	90-1
Mo., K. and Tex.	20-3	18	20-3
Missouri Pac.	31-1	30-4	31-1
Missouri Pac. Pfd.	88	..	88
N.Y. Central	119-7	113	117-4
N. Y., New Haven and H.	60	75	60
Northern Pac.	48-1	47-2	48-1
Pennsylvania R.R.	58-4	57	58-2
Reading	80-7	79	80-7
St. Louis and S.F.	43	..	43
Southern Pacific	94	92-6	94
Southern Ry.	49	48	48-5
Union Pacific	191	179-7	191
Parmalee Trans.	3	..	3
Steel and Iron			
Amn. Car and Found.	27	26-2	27
Amn. Locomotive	21-3	21	21-3
Amn. Steel Fdy. xd	25-6	25-2	25-2
Baldwin Loco.	25-3	20-6	22-3
Bethlehem Steel	52-6	49-4	52-6
Byers (AM) Co.	40-7	37-6	40-6
Col. Fuel and Iron	22	..	22
Crucible Steel	57-6	56-3	56-3
Gen. Ry. Signal	72-6	72-1	72-6
General Tank	59-2	62-3	59-2
Lima Loco.	24	..	24
Ren. Iron and Steel	13-4	11-2	13-3
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	28-6	27-6	28-6
U.S. Steel	142	137-7	141-7
Automobile and Access.			
Auburn	112	102-4	111-2
Briggs	18-2	17-2	18
Checker Cab	20-2	19	20-2
Chrysler	17-7	15-7	17-7
Continental M.	3-1	3	3
General Motor	27-2	25	27-2
Hudson	34-7	33-1	34-7
Hupp	9-6	7-6	9-6
Mack Truck	39	35-6	38-3
Motor Wheel	15-6	14-7	15-6
Nash	30-4	27-4	29-7
Packard	9-3	8-6	9-3
Studebaker	24-3	21-7	22-7
Timken Roller	48-7	43	48-7
White	23-2	..	23-2
Willys Overland	6	5	5-3
Yellow Truck	10-6	9-1	10-6
Tires and Rubber			
Goodyear	45-7	43-6	45
U.S. Rubber	12-6	11-4	12-6
Public Utility			
Amn. Foreign Pow.	30-2	27-4	30-2
Amn. Pow. and Light	47-6	45	47-6
Amn. Tel. and Telegr.	161	156-4	160-6
Amn. Water Wks.	58-6	55	58-6
Columbia Gas	35-4	33-4	36-4
Consol Gas, N.Y.	86-1	82-6	86
Elec. Pwr. and Lite	43-2	39-2	42
Inter. Tel. and Tel.	21	18-6	21
Louisville Gas	28-1	27	28-1
North American	67-1	62	67-1
Pacific Gas and Elec.	47-7	46	47-7
South Calif. Edison	46	..	46
Stand. Gas and Elec.	61-6	58-4	61-6
United Corp.	18-1	16	18-1
Util Pow. and Lt. "A"	22-7	21-4	22-7
Western Union	135-2	130	134-4
Food Products			
Borden Co.	70-1	68-2	69-7
Cal. Pkg.	43	..	43
Canada Dry xd	34-4	34	34-1
Coca Cola	148	142-1	145
Corn Products	80-4	76-4	80-4
Gen. Foods	49-6	47-6	49-6
Great West Sugar	7-6	..	7-6
Loose Wiles Biscuits	44-7	43-6	44-7
National Biscuit	79	77-5	79
Nat. Dairy Products	39-7	38-2	39-7
Peek's and Ford	38-3	38-2	38-3
Safeway Stores	41-3	40	41-3
Standard Brands	17-2	16-1	17-2
United Fruit	55-4	51-2	55-4
Ward Baking B.	3-4	..	3-4
Apparel			
Julius Kayser	16-1	..	16-1
U.S. Leather A	7	..	7
Retail Trade			
Asso. Drygoods	2	..	22
Childs Co.	26-6	25-4	26-6
Drug Inc.	63-4	62	63-4
S.S. Kresge Co.	26-7	26-4	26-7
Kruesser Toll	22-6	22-5	22-6
Montgomery Ward	17-4	15-6	17-4
Sears Roebuck	47	44-7	47
Schulte Retail	4-4	4-1	4-4
F. W. Woolworth	57	54-3	57
Tobaccos			
Amn. Tobacco B.	108-6	105-4	108-2
Liggett Myers B.	84-4	..	84-4
Lorillard	12	11-3	12
Reynolds Tobacco B.	41	40-3	41
Miscellaneous			
Certainteed Products	2-2	..	2-2
Eat. Pipe A	27-3	25-3	27-2
General Asphalt	34-3	..	34-3
Intl. Cement	50-6	..	50-6
Intl. Match pfd.	57-6	57	57-4
Johns Manville	57-2	52-4	57-2
Lowe's	48-2	45-2	46-2
Otis Elevator	56-6	54	56-6
Paramount Famous	39-2	36-5	39-2
R.K.O.	17	15-6	17
Shubert Theatre	4-4	..	4-4
Texas Pacific Land	13-2	11-4	12-2
Transamerica	13-4	12-3	13-4
U.S. Realty	27	26-2	27
Warner Bros.	14-2	13-1	14-2
United Aircraft	25-2	22-4	25
United Gas and Imp.	29-4	27-3	29-2
Chemical			
Air Reduction	101-3	95-1	101-3
Allied Chemical	177-2	170-1	176-7
Amn. Agr. Chemical	2	1-7	2
Columbia Carbon	79	73-4	79
Coml. Solvents	16	15-1	16
Davison Chemical	14-5	14	14-5
Freeport Texas	29-4	28-6	29-4
Lehn and Fink	25-7	24	25-6
Mathieson Alkali	30-6	29	30-6
Natl. Distillers	20-7	20	20-7
Texas Gulf Sulphur	47	46	47
Union Carbide	59-4	58	59-3
U.S. Ind. Alcohol	65-4	62-4	65-4
Va. Car. Chemical	2	..	2
Oil and Refining		

RHEUMATISM?
Neuritis? Neuralgia?
"About 20 years ago," Mr. Geo. McDow, Halifax, N.S., writes, "I had rheumatic fever. Sunday it came back on me. My head felt as if it were locked on my shoulders. After 4 or 5 doses of T-R-C's I began to feel relief. By the middle of the week I was well enough to be back at work." Equally good for Sciatica, Lame Back, Neuritis, Neuralgia. No harmful drugs. 50c and $1 everywhere.
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WHITNEY LETTER

(By Logan & Bryan)

New York, Jan. 2.—Whitney of Wall Street Financial Bureau says to-day:

FURTHER LOCAL RALLY AND A BETTER 1931

"With the closing session of last year characterized by little news and a good many cash sales registered for income tax purposes, it had little to do except reflect the moderate weight of some of these sales and general lack of interest, in spite of which it made a fairly good job of sustaining the strength of the previous session.

"I believe that, if the markets of to-day and to-morrow are not too much affected by a similar lack of interest, they will succeed in renewing the advance which has been previously construed as locally capable of covering a period of a week to ten days.

"Looking beyond that, it is perhaps of interest to review at this time a forecast voiced here on December 15, the first portion of which called for a rather sizeable rally in approximately the first two weeks of the new year, during which period the market could conceivably rally to about 175-180 in the Dow Jones industrials. Following that it was anticipated that we would have a month of sagging prices running into the middle of February, during which period the market would absorb the many-sided adversities of completed 1930 earnings, and more particularly the balance sheet situations brought about by heavily reduced cash items and inventories losses. As to the average performance during this time, the opinion was expressed that this period would succeed in the accomplishment of maintaining prices above the lows which at that time appeared to be immediately ahead, and which two days later were actually made at 157 in the Dow Jones industrials.

"If there is any revision to be made in this previously-expressed 1931 outlook it is simply to shorten by a few days the current first half of January advance and possibly lengthen a little bit the period in which the market would be devoting itself to the absorption of the bad news falling roughly between January 15 and February 15. At any rate, and supplementing the above prediction, would now venture the opinion that by March we will be turning up out of this period of absorption and that, to the accomplishment of about two per cent improvement per month in business. Starting in April we will see in the market for the balance of the year the gradual advance which would logically accompany this month to month development in business.

"In specific figures this business improvement would result in the present twenty-two per cent below normal status being brought back to normal early in 1932, with the market correspondingly brought back to a range of between 250 and 300 by the same time. The important point is of course that the business improvement, even if only two per cent. a month, is going to be mighty gratifying from month to month, when it starts, not to mention the relief that a concurrent market performance, carrying the averages back to the anticipated levels, will afford all."

N.Y. Market Gossip

Gulf Coast Lines eleven months net $7.29 a share vs. $6.78 a share in first eleven months 1929.

Engineers Public Service Co. year ended Nov. 30 net $2.74 a share on 1,882,116 average common shares outstanding against $2.64 a share on 1,624,849 in preceding year.

W. P. Chrysler estimates 1931 auto output at 4,000,000 cars against 3,500,000 in 1930, estimates stocks of new cars on hand at thirty-five to forty per cent below year ago.

United Aircraft and Transport, effective Jan. 1, will reduce passenger rates to 8.3 cents a mile from previous range 8.3 to 10 cents.

Domestic crude oil production in week ended Dec. 27 averaged 2,126,750 barrels daily, lowest points since Jan. 1, 1926 and off 75,450 from previous week and 48,950 below 1929 week.

Gasoline stocks up 767,000 barrels to 39,388,000.

President Carlton of Western Union says year 1931 will not see solution of present crisis and says that for next year at least improvement in conditions must be gradual and in general disappointing for those whose cry has been the "corner is turned."

National City Bank opens credit of 30,000,000 pesos to Mexico, to be guaranteed by gold to be deposited here and funds to be used to stabilize pesos and restore foreign exchange to normal condition.

Glidden Co. and subsidiaries year ended Oct. 31 net profits $11,365, after interest, depreciation, etc., but before preferred dividends of subsidiaries amounting to $30,000 against earnings of $4.33 a common share in preceding year.

General Tire and Rubber Co. year ended November 30, profit $732,597, after charges but before federal taxes against 1,970,000 in previous year. Declared extra dividend of $1 on common payable Jan. 1 record December 20.

Missouri Pacific eleven months net $3.70 a common share against $10.15 a share in first eleven months 1929, October net earnings of ninety-five public utilities enterprise totalled $84,071,150 against $80,837,801 in September and $3,000,000 in October, 1929, commerce department figures reveal. Ten months $835,496,406 against $814,500,000.

Car loadings in U.S. in week ended Dec. 20 totalled 713,810 cars, a decline of 30,633 from previous week, 128,965 below 1929 week and 186,810 below 1928 week.

Stock of Canada Dry Ginger Ale Inc. in hands of brokers on Dec. 16, amounted to less than 100,000 shares out of total capital of a little over 512,000 shares.

Bank of U.S. stockholders file suit against officers and directors charging them with incompetentcy and negligence in administration of bank's affairs.

STOBIE, FORLONG ASSETS COMPANY NOW IN EFFECT

The proposal for the arrangement of the affairs of Stobie, Forlong & Co., which was adopted by the creditors and approved by order of the Supreme Court of Ontario, has been put into effect and all assets have been transferred by N. L. Martin, trustee of the estate of Stobie, Forlong & Co., to Stobie-Forlong Assets Ltd., in accordance with the terms of the arrangement.

Debentures have been issued to all creditors whose claims have been approved and certified by the trustee. A revised statement of the position of the company is in course of preparation and will be issued in a short time.

Reorganization of the brokerage business has been accomplished in the formation of the stock exchange firm of Doherty Roadhouse & Co., in which Stobie-Forlong Assets Ltd. is a limited partner and Messrs. Manning W. Doherty and Thomas H. Roadhouse are general partners, with a substantial share in the paid-up capital of the partnership.

Tire Industry Seen In Favorable Position

In considering industries in a favorable position, The Brookmire Economic Service in the current issue of their Analyst discuss the automobile tire industry stating that it is in an extremely favorable position. The bulletin goes on to say:

"The Department of Commerce placed a maximum estimate on renewal sales of tires for 1930 at 40,000,000. This is lower than the renewal sales for any of the five preceding years and represents 1.66 tires for each automobile registered during the year 1929. This ratio of renewal sales to cars registered is exceptionally low and in our opinion cannot long continue. Sales of new automobiles next year will be low. It will be necessary to buy new tires to keep the old cars in operation. We have made an estimate of 48,500,000 renewal sales for 1931, based on a ratio of 1.80 tires for each car registered during 1930. This in our opinion is a very conservative estimate. On this basis we predict total sales, including original equipment and exports, at 64,500,000—an increase of nearly twenty per cent over 1930 volume.

"Production in recent months has been at a minimum. Inventories have been greatly reduced. We estimate them at the lowest level since 1925.

"From the viewpoint of fundamental economics the outlook for this industry is extremely favorable. There remains the one important item of unsound competitive practices. We understand that additional cuts in prices are being considered. But there is the possibility that increasing demand may outrun contemplated production sufficiently to bring about price increases later in the year and enable the leading companies to operate on a fair margin of profit."

Tax On Busses Scaled Down By Ontario

Toronto, Jan. 2.—A reduction in the seat-mile tax on busses throughout the province is announced by Premier Henry and Minister of Highways.

The tax has formerly stood at one-tenth cent per passenger per mile on the king's highways and one-fifteenth on other roads. Under the new tax, which came into force on the first of the year, the rates will be cut in half, to one-twentieth and one-thirtieth.

In reducing the tax, Premier Henry stated the bus operators had been undergoing heavy taxes, more especially with the gasoline and insurance rates.

The revenue has averaged $150,000 annually on this tax, which means the government for this year anticipates one of $75,000.

Premier Henry had no comment to make upon reduction in the gasoline tax, which now stands at five cents a gallon.

LAKE SUPERIOR PLANS EXPLAINED

Complete details of a plan whereby the Lake Superior Corporation will be relieved of its guarantee of principal and interest on the bonds of the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway and Algoma Central Terminals is announced. The plan calls for the formation of a new holding company to be known as Algoma Consolidated Corporation, certain adjustments with the bondholders in return for the wiping out of the guarantee, and an offer to the stockholders of Lake Superior Corporation to exchange their shares for the shares of the new holding company.

The principal amount of the bonds guaranteed by Lake Superior Corporation is in excess of $15,000,000, and there are arrears of interest of $9,773,531. Both issues are to be redeemed, Algoma Central bonds by an issue of new securities, and Algoma Terminals by part payment in cash and part in new securities. Bondholders of the railway will receive 200,000 shares of common stock and $3,029,550 of 5 per cent cumulative income debenture stock of the new holding company. Part of the Terminal bonds will be paid off in cash on a 70 per cent of par basis, and the balance at the issue of new securities of the Terminal company.

Lake Superior Corporation will receive one share of 7 per cent cumulative preferred stock of $5 par and one share of no par value common for each share outstanding.

CONCERT BY CHILDREN AT LAKE COWICHAN

Special to The Times

Lake Cowichan, Jan. 2.—The new community hall is complete and is a credit to the community. The first gathering there was for the children's concert and Christmas tree. The concert was skilfully presented by the youngsters.

Santa Claus arrived with a jingle of bells and hearty greetings. No one was forgotten, each eager child receiving presents off the gaily decorated Christmas tree.

JANUARY CLEARANCE

Clearing All Floor Samples, Bedroom, Dining-room and Living-room Suites, Cancelled Designs of Carpets, 1930 Models Simmons Beds, 1930 Drapery Stock. Making Room for New Spring Goods in Transit.

SAMPLE BEDROOM SUITES TO CLEAR

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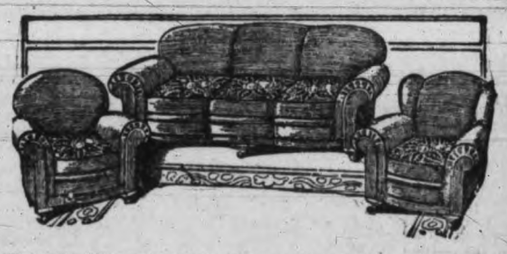

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Hardwood Breakfast-room Suite. Drop-leaf table, 4 chairs and buffet. Regular $46.50. To clear at $35.00

IVORY ENAMEL DRESSER

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SOLID WALNUT DROP-LEAF EXTENSION TABLE

Regular $64.75, for.....$52.75

RADIO TABLE WITH DRAWER

Walnut finished top, 18x27 inches. Regular $18.50, for.....$15.75

SAMPLE CARPETS AT CLEARANCE PRICES

Sizes from 6.0x9.0 to 9.0x15.0. From 20% to 30% Reduction.

ZIMMERKNIT REORGANIZATION IS SANCTIONED

Toronto, Jan. 2.—Reorganization of Zimmerknit Limited, of Hamilton, and the incorporation of a new company to be known as Zimmerknit Company Limited, has been sanctioned by Mr. Justice Middleton at Osgoode Hall.

A previous order of Justice Middleton had authorized the calling of a general meeting of shareholders in Hamilton on December 17, whereby plans to rejuvenate the company which had defaulted on the payment of dividends and had preference and common stock outstanding was approved.

Under the new arrangement now approved by the court, the sale of the assets is made to the new company. A capital structure of $250,000 of first gold bonds, 2,500 seven per cent preference shares at a par value of $100 and 100,000 common shares, no par value, will be issued. The new company assumes all liabilities. The Royal Trust Company, trustee for the first mortgage bondholders, is empowered to accept the $500,000 second mortgage bonds.

WORKING CAPITAL

At least $300,000 working capital is expected to be provided by the sale of first mortgage bonds. On the completion of the sale of assets it is estimated the new company will consist of 37,125 paid-up common shares.

Holders of preference shares will receive four shares of the new company for each share of the old; holders of common shares of the old company for each share will receive ten in the new company. Each holder of a preference share of the old company will receive an option to buy from hte new company a common share at $5 on the basis of one common of the new company for each preference share of the old company.

DIVIDENDS CANCELLED

All cumulative preferential dividends on the 8,500 outstanding preference shares are cancelled.

When Zimmerknit Limited, was first incorporated, 10,000 preference 7 per cent shares at $100 were issued, and 50,000 common shares of no par value.

Preference shares to the number of 8,500 were issued and paid up; and 31,250 common shares were issued and paid up.

Counterfeiters have been so active in Belfast, Ireland, that merchants are instructing the public how to detect spurious coin.

Washington State Plans Big Outlay On Highway Works

Seattle, Jan. 2.—Breaking all records for highway construction in the state, approximately $2,000,000 a month will be spent by state, city, county and federal highway departments in 1931, the Daily Journal of Commerce figures showed here to-day.

Estimates of expenditures included $12,000,000 by the state highway department, $5,000,000 by the counties, $5,000,000 by Seattle, $1,500,000 by other cities and $1,000,000 by the federal bureau of roads.

King County is to spend $2,311,110, Cowlitz $350,000 and Spokane $200,000. All other counties showed substantial figures. The appropriations call for almost every manner of highway improvement and maintenance. Virtually every locality in the state will benefit by the improvement programme.

Wheat Consumption Rates Changing

That per capita consumption of wheat and wheat products is increasing rapidly in tropical countries, and gradually is decreasing in northern countries is indicated in a survey of world trends in wheat consumption which has just been completed by General Mills, Inc., U.S.A.

The survey shows that the amount of flour used by the average person in the United States has been decreasing, so that although the population has increased 58 per cent in the last thirty years, the total wheat consumption has increased but 24 per cent. The average per capita consumption of flour in the United States thirty years ago was about 1.13 barrels, or the equivalent of 5.4 bushels of wheat. To-day, however, the average per capita consumption is .904 barrels, an amount requiring but 4.2 bushels of wheat to manufacture. That decline of 1.2 bushels in average per capita wheat consumption represents a decline of 146,000,000 bushels in total wheat consumption.

In the European countries a material decline in average per capita wheat consumption also has occurred. In the tropical countries of Latin America, Africa and the East Indies, on the other hand, wheat consumption has been increasing much more rapidly than population.

Great Gas Pipe-line System From Alberta Oil Fields Mooted

Canadian Press

Edmonton, Jan. 2.—At a cost of several millions of dollars, a pipe-line carrying gas from the fields of Alberta to the industrial centres and homes in Saskatchewan may be an actuality in 1931, a project of enormous possibility which, in time, may advance in to Manitoba to serve householders and factories.

It will mean the development of a great gas area in the Kinsella Field, ninety-six miles to the northeast of Edmonton, if negotiations are successful, or from the Turner Valley, near Calgary. If satisfactory agreements cannot be arranged in Alberta another possibility is a pipe-line from the Montana fields into Saskatchewan.

To supply consumers in the Saskatchewan cities of Saskatoon, Regina, and Moose Jaw, along with intermediate towns on the line route, gas would supplant coal, now imported from Alberta at the rate of 1,500,000 tons annually.

COAL MINERS WORRIED

Opponents of gas exportation from the province emphasize the loss that would be suffered by the coal industry of Alberta, and too, oppose exportation from the Kinsella area, which they declare to be Edmonton's "reserve supply" of the 250,000 inhabitants of the province ,approximately half are users of gas to-day, especially residents and industries of Edmonton and Calgary.

Saskatchewan cities are, and have been for some months, negotiating with both Canadian and United States interests, and decision will soon be reached, taking in either the Alberta or Montana fields, with the expected construction of the pipe-line to follow early in the spring of 1931.

The expense of the undertaking of piping the gas a distance of 400-odd miles is indicated by the probable cost of a line from Kinsella to the Saskatchewan border, a distance of sixty-three miles. It is estimated that the cost would be approximately $2,000,000. Then must come the cost of maintenance, construction of "booster" stations, etc., which would run the total expenditure into millions of dollars.

Alberta, with some of the greatest gas fields in the world, still has a huge reserve of coal, sufficient, on the basis of annual consumption of 36,000,000 tons a year, to supply the Dominion of Canada for 30,000 years, so the experts claim.

PROFIT FIGURES ON FINAL QUARTER COMING ON NOW

Shortly after the opening of the new year the security markets will face another test in the publication of quarterly earning figures for the final months of 1930 and financial statements covering the entire twelve months. The current low level of security prices apparently has discounted decreased profit for a number of companies and stockholders of many have been prepared by the publication of periodical statements throughout 1930.

There are, however, a large number of concerns and this is particularly not advise their stockholders each true of Canadian companies, who do quarter but publish profit and loss and balance sheet figures only after the end of the fiscal year. Shareholders of such companies have had nothing official from which to form an opinion as to progress in 1930, and can only wait until the annual report is forwarded to them. Starting with the beginning of the new year, financial statements of corporations in the Dominion will increase month by month, reaching a peak about March, and then only will the full story of profits for the year be told.

VICTORY BONDS

VICTORIA PRICES

(By Royal Financial Corporation)

	Bid	Asked
Dominion Loan, 5%—		
1931	$100.65	$101.10
1937	103.90	104.60
1943	103.20	103.70
Dominion 5½% Loan—		
1932	101.60	101.95
1933	102.85	103.25
1934	102.85	103.20
1937	106.90	107.60
Dominion 4½% Loan—		
1940	99.50	100.25
1944	99.50	100.25
1946	99.50	100.25
C.N.R. 4½% Loan—		
1954	98¼	98¾
1957	98¼	98¾
1968	98¼	98¾
C.N.R. 5% Loan—		
1934	102¾	103¼
1969	104¼	104¾
1969	104¼	104¾
1970	104¼	104¾
C.P.R. 4½% Loan—		
1944	95¾	96¾
1960	97¼	99¼
C.P.R. 5% Loan—		
1954	101¾	102¾
C.N. Ss. 5% Loan—		
1955	103¾	104¾

Steel's Consolidated Has $194,382 Deficit

Toronto, Jan. 2.—Creditors of Steel's Consolidated Limited, of Toronto, faced a nominal deficiency of $194,382 between the company's $247,498 listed liabilities, and $53,116 assets, when they met this afternoon at Osgoode Hall before O. E. Lennox, official receiver.

Direct liabilities, according to the statement of affairs, submitted by F. C. Clarkson, custodian of the state, are $15,857. Other liabilities are preferred, $17,507; contingent, $36,106; contingent under Quebec leases, $31,775; contingent under Ontario leases, $12,087; reserve for possible salary claims, $2,500; secured, $125,863; unsettled, $6,000.

J. N. Dobbie of Brockville, and William Bowkeeke, St. Catharines, are the largest direct creditors, with claims of $4,166 and $3,100, respectively.

Preferred liabilities are tax claims by the following cities: Brantford, $1,342; Hamilton, $4,584; Oshawa, $750; Quebec, $10,829. Assets consist of cash in the bank, $15; accounts receivable, $41,100, and Hamilton and Quebec cafeteria equipment, $[illegible]00.

FOREIGN BOND QUOTATIONS

(By Logan & Bryan)

	Bid	Asked
Argentine 6s of 57	91	91½
Argentine 6s of 59	90¼	90¾
Austrian 7s of 43	104	104½
Belgian 6s of 55	101½	102
Belgian 7s of 55	111¼	111¾
Belgian 7s of 56	107¾	108¼
Bolivia 8s of 47	41¼	41¾
Bosnia 8s of 45	70¾	71¼
Brazil 6½s of 57	56½	57
Bdx. 6s of 34	103¾	104½
Buenos Aires 7½s of 47	82¾	83¾
Chile 6s of 60	71	71½
Chile 7s of 42	88½	89
Chile 6½s of 57	74	74½
Costa Rica 7s of 51	67¾	68¾
Denmark 5½s of 55	100¼	100¾
French 7s of 1949	119¾	120¾
French 7½s of 1942	124¾	125¾
German 7s of 50	101	101½
Hungary 7½s of 43	82¼	82¾
Italy 7s of 51	92¾	93¼
P.U. 7s of 57	78¾	79¼
Jap. 6½s of 1954	102¼	103
Lyons 6s of 34	103¾	104½
MGS. 6s of 34	103¾	104½
Nwy. 6s of 44	104½	105
Polish 6s of 40	63¾	64¼
Pry. 6s of 58	104½	104¾
Seine 7s	106¼	106¾
SES. 6s of 36	102¾	103¾
Siemen Halske 6½s of 51	88¾	89¼
Uru. 8s of 46	99½	100

To attract attention to his housing programme, William Marshall, only socialist member of the Town Council of Deal, England, recently paraded the streets dressed as a woman and pushed a baby buggy containing household goods and bearing a sign "Wanted a House."

Noranda's New Ore Runs High in Copper

Some weeks ago in the course of enlarging the station at No. 3 shaft at the thirteenth level, which is at a vertical depth of aproximately 1,500 feet, commercial ore was encountered at Noranda Mines at a point sixty feet south of the shaft and driven on to the east for a considerable distance, T. N. Hay, secretary, states. This ore crossed the station to the west and a drive was commenced in that direction. With a view to determining the downward extension of this ore a thirty-degree diamond drill hole was commenced from this bottom level pointed due south at a point 200 feet north and fifty feet west of No. 3 shaft.

Sulphides were encountered in this hole at 109 feet, the copper values being very low to 200 feet; from 200 feet to 225 feet the copper assays 2.6 per cent copper; from 225 feet to 275 feet the copper assay is 14.6 per cent and from 275 feet to 287½ feet, where the sulphides ended, the copper assay is 4.3 per cent. The hole bottomed in rhyolite at 312 feet. Gold assays have not yet been made. The high-grade section in this hole is directly beneath the drift west sixty feet south of the shaft and the last assay across the face of this drift gave 14 per cent copper. At sixty degree hole will be drilled from the same set-up as the thirty-degree hole and further drilling done west and east of the first hole, but, pending necessary lateral work, cutting of stations and performing of drilling, it will be some time before further information is available.

Glasgow, Scotland, will lend Rembrandt's "Man in Armor" to the picture gallery at the Hague, Holland, for exhibition.

Bilious/NR
Bilious, constipated? Take NR—NATURE'S REMEDY—tonight—the mild, safe, all-vegetable laxative. You'll feel fine in the morning. Promptly and pleasantly rids the system of the bowel poisons that cause headaches—25c.
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Murder At Bridge

by ANNE AUSTIN author of "THE BLACK PIGEON," "THE AVENGING PARROT" and "MURDER BACKSTAIRS"

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"Little enough to tuck herself under the arm of a man a lot shorter than you," Penny assured him with curious vehemence. "And if Penelope Crain is no mean prophet, that's exactly what she'll do within five minutes after she meets you—just as she is wistfully inviting you to join the other men for the cocktail party which is scheduled to break up the bridge game at 5.30. Then, of course, you'll be urged to join us all at the dinner-dance at the Country Club to-night."

"Will she?" Dundee pretended to be vastly intrigued, which caused the remainder of the drive to be a rather silent one, due to Penny's unresponsiveness.

Breakaway Inn was intensely Spanish in architecture and transplanted shrubbery, but its stucco walls were of a rather more violent raspberry color than is considered suite esthetic in Spain or Mexico.

"There's Lois Dunlap's car just driving up," Penny cried, her face softening with the adoration she had freely professed for her friend. But it clouded again almost instantly. "And Nita Selim."

As Dundee helped his new friend to alight his eyes were upon the two women being assisted by a uniformed chauffeur from Lois Dunlap's limousine.

In a moment the four were a laughing, exclamatory group.

"Oh, what a tall man you've got yourself, Penny darling!" the tiny, beautiful creature which could only be Mrs. Selim cried out happily. "May I meet him?"

"I shouldn't let you," Penny answered frankly, "but I will. . . . Mrs. Selim, Mr. Dundee. . . . And Mrs. Dunlap, Mr. Dundee. . . . How are you, Lois? And Peter and the brats?"

"All well, Penny. Petey's off on a week-end fishing trip, and not one of the brats has measles, scarlet fever or hay fever," Dundee heard Mrs. Dunlap say in the comfortable, affectionate voice that went with her comfortable, pleasant face and body. . . . Nice woman!

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But his eyes were of necessity upon Nita Selim, for that miniature Venus was, as Penny had predicted, almost tucked under his arm by this time, her black-pansy eyes wide and wistful, her fine, soft black curls falling forward as she coaxed:

"You'll come to the cocktail party at my house at 5.30, won't you, Mr. Dundee?"

"Afraid I can't make it," Dundee smiled down at her. "I'm a busy man, Mrs. Selim. . . . You see, I'm Special Investigator attached to the District Attorney's office," he explained very deliberately.

"O-o-oh!" Nita Selim breathed. Then, step by step, she withdrew. And as she retreated, Dundee's keen eyes noted a hardening of the eyes, the sudden throbbing of a pulse in her very white neck. . . .

"No, don't mind about calling for me," Penny protested a moment later. "Ralph has already volunteered. . . . Thanks awfully!"

As Dundee backed out of the driveway his last glance was for a very small figure in a brown silk summer coat and palest yellow chiffon frock, slowly rejoining Penelope Crain and Lois Dunlap. What the devil had frightened her so? For she had been almost terrified. . . . Of course she might be one of those silly women who shudder at the sight of a detective, because they've smuggled in a diamond from Paris or a bottle of Bicardi from Havana.

But long before his car had made the distance back to the city Dundee had shrugged off the riddle and was concentrating on all the facts he knew regarding the Maginty case. It was his first real assignment from Sanderson, and he was determined to make good.

Four hours later he was interrupted in his careful reading of the trial of Rufus Maginty by the ringing of the telephone bell. That made four times he had had to snap out the fact that District-attorney Sanderson was playing some well-earned golf at the Country Club, Dundee reflected angrily, as he picked up the receiver.

But the call was for him. And the voice at the other end of the wire was Penny Crain's, although almost unrecognizable.

"Speak more slowly, Penny!" Dundee urged. "What's that again? . . . Good Lord! You say that Nita Selim—"

After a minute of listening, and a promise of instant obedience, Dundee hung up the receiver.

"My God!" he said slowly, blankly. "Of all things—murder at bridge!"

CHAPTER II

As Special Investigator Dundee drove through the city of Hamilton at a speed of sixty miles an hour, his way being cleared by traffic policemen warned by the shrill official siren which served him as a horn, he had little time to think connectedly of the fact that Nita Selim had been murdered during a bridge game in her rented home in Primrose Meadows.

Even after the broad sleekness of Sheridan Road stretched before him he could do little more than try to realize the shock which had numbed him. . . . "Lovely Nita," as the society editor of The Morning News had called her, was—dead! How, why, he did not know. He had asked no details of Penny Crain. . . . Funny, thorny little Penny!

"Judge Marshall has telephoned police headquarters," she had told him breathlessly over the telephone, "but I made him let me call you as soon as he had hung up. I wanted our office to be in on this right from the first."

Beautiful, seductive Nita Selim, almost cuddling under his arm, within three minutes of meeting him—dead! A vision of her black eyes, so wide and luminous and wistful as they had looked sideways and upward to his, pleading for him to join her after-bridge cocktail party, nearly made him crash into a lumbering furniture van. Those eyes were luminous no longer, could never again snap the padlocks of slave chains upon any man—as Penny had expressed it. . . . Dead! And she had been so warmly alive, even as she had retreated from him at his mention of the fact that he was attached to the office of the district attorney as a special investigator.

What had she feared then? Was her death a payment for some recent or long-standing crime? Or was she simply withdrawing from the contamination of a "flat-foot"? . . . No! She had been afraid—horribly afraid of some ulterior purpose behind his innocent courtesy in driving Penelope Crain to Breakaway Inn.

Well, speculation now was idle. He speeded again, but was soon forced to stop and ask his way into Primrose Meadows. The vague directions of a farmer's overalled son lost him nearly eight precious minutes, during which his friend, Captain Strawn of the homicide squad, might be bungling things rather badly. But at last he found the ornate pair of pillars spanned by the painted legend, "Primrose Meadows," and drove through them into what soon became a rutted lane. Almost a quarter of a mile from the isolated house, unmistakable because of the lineup of private cars parked before the short stretch of paved sidewalk, and the added presence of grim-looking police cars and motorcycles.

So Captain Strawn was out in full force! Dundee turned his own car into the driveway leading from the street along the right side of the house toward the the two-car garage in the rear. Ahead of his roadster were two other cars, and a glance toward the open garage showed that a small coupe was housed there.

As he was descending, Captain Strawn's voice hailed him from an open window of the room nearest the garage.

"Hello, Bonnie! Been expecting you. . . . Damndest business you ever saw. . . . There's a door from this room onto the porch. Hop up and come on in."

Dundee obeyed. In driving in he had noted that a wide porch, upheld by round white pillars, stretched across the front of the gabled brick house and extended half way along its right side, past a room which was obviously a solarium, with its continuous windows, gay awnings, and—visible through the glittering panes—orange-and-tan wicker furniture.

It was easy to swing himself up to the floor of the porch. Strawn flung open the door which led into the back room, remarking with a grin:

"Don't be afraid I'm gumming up any finger-prints. Carraway has already been over the room. . . . The Selim woman's bedroom," he explained. "The room she was killed in."

"You have been on the job," Dundee complimented his former chief, and shook hands heartily. It was very necesary that a well-grounded friendship should not be marred by any undue officiousness on the part of the district attorney's special investigator.

"Sure!" Strawn acknowledged proudly. "Can't be too quick on our stumps when it's one of these 'high sassiety' murders. Dr. Price will be here any minute now, and my men have been all over the premises, basement to attic. Of course it was an outside job—plain as the nose on your face—and we haven't found a trace of the murder."

Wishing that his former chief could find a new simile which would not insult his rather fine nose, Bonnie Dundee advanced into the room.

Although Mrs. Selim had taken the house furnished, it was obvious that this big bedroom of hers was not exactly as the Crain family had left it. A little too pretty, a little too aggressively feminine, with its chaise longue heaped with silk and lace pillows, its superfluity of big and little lamps, its bed draped with golden-yellow taffeta, its dressing table—

But he could not let critical eyes linger on the triple-mirrored vanity dresser. For on the bench before it sat a tiny figure, the head bowed so low upon the lace-and-gold silk-covered top that some of the black curls had fallen into a large open bowl of powder. She was no longer wearing the short brown silk coat whose open front had given him a glimpse of pale yellow chiffon.

He saw the dress now, a low cut, sleeveless, fluffy affair, but he really had eyes only for the brownish-red hole on the left side of the back of the bodice, about halfway between shoulder and waist—a waist so small he could have spanned it with his two hands, including its band of fuchsia velvet ribbon. There also had been a bow of fuchsia velvet ribbon on the lace and straw hat she had swung so charmingly less than five hours ago. . .

(To Be Continued)

AUTO FATALITY

New Westminster, Jan. 2.—Eden Finlay, 2209 Henley Street, Bellingham, Wash., died yesterday in the Royal Columbian Hospital here as a result of injuries sustained early yesterday morning when an automobile he was driving crashed into a street car at Edmonds, near here.

"My First Public Speech"

"FORTUNATELY I had no opportunity to develop an attack of nerves prior to making my first public speech," says Frank Giolma, the first soldier of the Great War to be elected to Parliament in Canada.

"It was in 1918. I had recently returned wounded from France and was attached to "J" unit at Esquimalt. One morning when I reported at 9 o'clock, the adjutant sent for me. He said the officer commanding was to have made a speech before some ladies' organization that morning at 10 o'clock, that he was in bed sick, that the only other officer capable of filling the bill was away, that he himself was no public speaker and so for some unknown reason, I, a mere private, had been detailed for the duty. He did not know the name of the organization nor what the speech was to be about.

"I asked if I got leave for the rest of the day and he said I could have two days if I would only go. He said he believed the meeting was in some church hall near Pandora and Quadra. As it was then past 9.30, I saluted, caught a street car and reached the hall at 10.10.

"I found the room full of ladies and on explaining who I was and why I was there, was ushered to a vacant chair in the front row. Sitting beside me was a very charming white-haired lady who was busy knitting.

"Whilst the meeting was being called to order, she asked me if I was fond of public speaking and being told that I did not know, as I had never tried said 'Don't speak too slowly or too fast and know when to stop.'

"'Good advice, I am sure,' I replied, 'but how is one to know how to follow it?'

TO THE TIME OF KNITTING NEEDLES

"She thought for a moment, then said, 'While you are speaking watch my knitting needles. If they go quicker speak quicker, if slower speak slower, and when I put them down you stop.'

"Just then the president of the organization called me up on to the stage, introduced me and told me to tell them how they could help when the boys came home. Naturally all I did was to tell them what members of the

FRANK GIOLMA

C.E.F. had discussed a thousand times overseas. While I spoke I watched the knitting needles, now moving slowly, now going faster and tried to adjust my speed by them. Then, just as I was beginning to worry about something further to say, I noted the lady had stopped knitting. I had been talking for forty-five minutes.

"I finished as quickly as I could and hurriedly faded from the scene. But even so, I had to promise to speak at two more meetings before I could escape. And as I realized that I would have to make two speeches in public in the near future, I almost trembled with fear."

A freshman's enthusiasm to uphold the honor of his class helped Major S. F. M. Moodie over the trying ordeal of a first speech. He tells about it Saturday.

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily Scares the Fox

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By HOWARD R. GARIS

Seated on a cold stone in his den house back in the woods, the Fuzzy Fox looked at the Wolf, who was sitting near the fireplace, trying to get warm. For it was cold and snowy outside.

"What do you think of him, Wolfie?" asked the Fox with a laugh, and he pointed to the Bob Cat, who was sitting on another stone trying to hide his silly little tail, of which he was much ashamed.

"Think of whom?" asked the Wolf. "Do you mean Bobbie?"

"Yes," growled the Fox. "You heard about him, didn't you?"

"Indeed I did, Foxie," chuckled the Wolf. "Bobbie went out to catch Uncle Wiggily. He saw that rabbit just ahead of him walking in the snow, and he went right up close, to catch him, but he got fooled. The joke was on him! Ha! Ha!"

"Ha! Ha! I should say it was!" chuckled the Fox.

Uncle Wiggily gave a flip flop.

"Say, I wish you would stop laughing at me! mewed the Bob Cat. "How did I know Uncle Wiggily would be wearing his tall, black hat all covered with white paste? And when he jumped into a snow bank, with only the hat sticking out, how was I to know it? The hat was the same color of snow and I couldn't see it."

"Of ocurse you couldn't!" laughed the Wolf. "Baby Bunty put white paste on Uncle Wiggily's tall, black hat for fun. But the joke was on you all right! Ho! Ho!"

"Ho! Ho! I should say it was!" giggled the Fox.

"Well, if you Bad Chaps think you're so smart, why don't you try to catch Uncle Wiggily?" asked the Bob Cat. "I've tried often enough. This is the first time he ever fooled me by wearing a hat the color of snow."

"There must be a first time for everything," softly said the Wolf, looking around the den of the Fox to see, if by any chance, there might be a stray bone that had not been eaten or gnawed clean. But there was none. "Oh, I'm so hungry" mumbled the Wolf.

"That isn't the first time, either," murmured the Fox.

"No," sorrowfully agreed the Wolf, "It isn't."

"Well, say, if you chaps are so hungry, why don't you go out and try to catch Uncle Wiggily?" mewed the Bob Cat. "He might give us something to eat."

"Yes, he would give us something to eat all right," said the Wolf. "What say, Foxie; shall we try it?"

"Well," said the Fox, coming over to the fireplace, for he saw the Wolf looking at something and perhaps it might be a bone the Fox had forgotten. "Well, there is no need of both of us going. And as for Bobbie, he couldn't catch that rabbit if he saw him twice. Uncle Wiggily would be sure to fool him or scare him."

"Oh, is that so?" snarled the Bob Cat, sarcastic like and unfriendly. "Well, let's see what he does to you."

"He won't do anything to me, if I see him!" growled the Wolf.

"Nor me!" snapped the Fox. "Let me go out and have a look for that rabbit," said the Fox. "I'm sure I can catch him. There is plenty of snow on the ground and I can easily see his tracks."

"If he doesn't see you first!" chuckled the Bob Cat. "Just wait!"

"You chaps won't have to wait long!" snapped the Fox. "I'll go out and catch Uncle Wiggily. I'm sure he will give us something to eat."

With that the Fox went out of his den, leaving the hungry Bob Cat and the hungrier Wolf to await his return.

Now it happened that Uncle Wiggily was out in the snow this same morning practicing a new trick he had learned the first day of the New Year, which was yesterday. And the trick was nothing more than sliding down hill while standing on his head instead of his heels.

"I didn't think I could do it," said Uncle Wiggily to his wife, as he told her about it. "Mr. Twistytail, the fat pig, said I couldn't. But I did and he couldn't."

"He's too fat!" said Mrs. Longears. "But be careful how you do that trick, Wiggy."

"I will," promised the bunny gentleman. So out he went to try the trick once more. And just then, at the top of the hill, the hungry Fox saw Mr. Longears.

"Now I'll get him!" whispered the Bad Chap. "I'll bring the Wolf and Bob Cat something to eat."

But just then Uncle Wiggily gave a flip flop, and, standing on his head began to slide down hill. Now the Fox had never seen a rabbit slide down hill on his head, and I don't believe you have either. And as the Fox saw this strange sight he became much frightened.

"I don't believe that can be Uncle Wiggily after all!" howled the Fox. "It must be some new kind of animal after me!" And away he ran.

"Ha! Ha! I scared the Fox," laughed Uncle Wiggily as he reached the bottom of the hill, sliding on his head. And if the ink bottle will paint some icicles red so they look like candy sticks, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily's snowshoes.

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Horoscope

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1931

Benefic planetary aspects are strong on this first work day of the new year, according to astrology. The morning hours are especially promising.

Under this direction of the stars the mind should be alert and keen. This is a day for making important decisions.

Education is subject to the best planetary influences that promise supreme achievements in the new year.

Many students of extraordinary talents are to be discovered, the seers prophesy, for the world is to have extreme need of them before they reach middle age.

This should be an auspicious day for starting great constructive enterprises. Marvelous bridges as well as buildings are to be completed before 1932.

According to astrologers this is to be a year of preparation for amazing achievements in the future.

This should be a favorable rule under which to begin new work or to open new stores. The day is fortunate for those who desire to keep good resolutions.

President Hoover is subject to a powerful figure this year, which should be most fortunate for him and for the country, if the stars are rightly read.

Mars is in a place supposed to presage for the United States an expansion of the nation's fighting forces, especially its air division.

The opposition of Mars and Saturn seems to presage troublesome international problems that cause a great deal of foolish discussion, the seers declare.

A military gesture which will be violently opposed by British interests may be a cause of much speech-making in Congress, astrologers hazard.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of sudden changes in the coming year. Journeys are indicated and would be friends may be watched to advantage.

Children born on this day probably will be of restless and adventurous nature. Many subjects of this sign have inventive talents while others are natural educators.

Saturday, January 3, 1931

According to astrology this is not an important day in planetary government. It is a time to pursue conservative policies and to avoid risks.

There is an aspect believed to indicate the return of the inclination to speculate and warning is given that this is an unlucky day for financial venturing.

Under this direction of the stars the mind is likely to be disturbed and there may be a tendency to look upon the dark side of life.

This should be an auspicious away for recreation and for association with friends. Whatever encourages informal hospitalities and pleasant pastimes is fortunately guided.

Much wet weather and numerous snowstorms may be expected in New York and other eastern cities, it is again foretold, and great suffering among the poor is presaged.

Saturn is in a place supposed to betoken illness among persons in important official and business positions.

Jupiter will now assure great power as well as prosperity for the American continent, the seers prophesy.

Financial understandings with Great Britain that will enable a world dictatorship through finance are prognosticated by London astrologers.

According to ancient prophesies it is foretold that out of the north and west will come two nations that, combining, will rule the world, and the union of Anglo-Saxons is foreseen as the fulfillment of this augury.

Saturn at this time is supposed to foreshadow the destruction of the extreme ideals of Bolshevism on the one hand and autocracy on the other.

Big business is to rule the world, in which new leaders of industry will rise to perform miracles in the way of achievement.

The planet that has been classed as too often of malefic influence in its effects as seen on the earth also conserves past achievements and by stimulating the spirit of organization may produce supreme prosperity.

Scientists and dictators will multiply in the new year, when a world in revolt will bring about strange results.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a busy year in which domestic affairs will be most fortunate.

Children born on this day may be of a constructive and creative turn of mind. The subjects of this sign usually are actuated by high principles.

ON THE AIR

(Programmes subject to late changes)

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2

Columbia Broadcasting System

TO-NIGHT

5.15 p.m.—Grand Opera Miniatures—KRLD, KFPY, KFRC.
5.30 p.m.—Weed programme—KFJF, KRLD, KLZ.
8 p.m.—Musical Aviators' Orchestra—KFPY, KFRC.
8.30 p.m.—Romanelli and his King Edward Orchestra from Toronto — KLZ, KFPY, KFRC.

TO-MORROW MORNING AND AFTERNOON

8 a.m.—Land o' Make Believe—KOL, KFPY, KHJ, KFRC.
8.30 a.m.—Columbia Revue—KOL, KFPY, KHJ, KFRC.
9 a.m.—Paul Tremaine and his orchestra—KLZ, KVI, KOL, KFPY, KHJ, KFRC.
11 a.m.—Columbia Artists' Recital—KLZ, KVI, KFPY.
11.30 a.m.—Columbia Salon Orchestra—KLZ, KVI, KFPY, KHJ.
12 noon—The Four Clubmen—Male quartette—KLZ, KVI, KOL, KFPY.
12.30 p.m.—Saturday Syncopators — KLZ, KVI, KOL, KFPY, KHJ.
1 p.m.—Ann Leaf at the organ—KLZ, KVI, KFPY, KHJ, KFRC.
1.30 p.m.—Spanish Serenade — KLZ, KVI, KFPY, KFRC.
2 p.m.—Morton Downey with Jack Petis and his orchestra—KLZ, KVI, KFPY, KHJ, KFRC.
2.45 p.m.—Dr. Thatcher Clark's French Lesson—KRLD, KLZ, KVI, KFRC.
3 p.m.—Paul Tremaine—KLZ, KVI, KFPY, KHJ, KFRC.
3.30 p.m.—Ozzie Nelson and his Barbizon Plaza Orchestra—KVI, KFPY, KHJ, KFRC.
3.45 p.m.—Tony's Scrap Book—KLZ, KFPY, KHJ.
4 p.m.—Rhythm Ramblers—KVI, KFPY, KHJ, KFRC.
4.15 p.m.—Romance of American Industry—KVI, KFPY, KHJ, KFRC.

National Broadcasters' Programme

TO-NIGHT

6-6.30 p.m.—Interwoven Pair transcontinental)—KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KFI, KFSD, KTAR.
6.30-7 p.m.—Armour programme (transcontinental from Chicago)—KGO, KHQ, KFI, KOMO, KGW.
7-7.30 p.m.—Armstrong Quakers (transcontinental)—KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KFI.
7.30-8 p.m.—R-K-O Theatre of the Air (transcontinental)—KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KFI, KFSD, KTAR.
8-8.15 p.m.—Amos 'n' Andy (transcontinental from Chicago)—KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KECA, KFSD.
8.15-8.30 p.m.—Brownbilt Footlites — KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KFI, KFSD, KTAR.
8.45-9.15 p.m.—Tone Pictures—KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KFI.
9.15-9.30 p.m.—Hill-billy Boys—KGO.
9.30-10 p.m.—Metropolitans—KGO, KFSD, KOA.
10-10.30 p.m.—"Murder in Triplicate"—KGO, KSL, KOA.
10.30-11 p.m.—Pacific Nomads—KGO, KOA, KSL. 10.45-11 p.m.
11-12 p.m.—Laughner-Harris Hotel St. Francis Dance Orchestra—KGO, KFI, KSL.

TO-MORROW MORNING AND AFTERNOON

7.30-8 a.m.—Sunrise Serenaders—KGO.
7.30-8 a.m.—Quaker Start o' the Day—KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KPO, KFSD; KFI, 7.45-8 a.m.
8-9 a.m.—Shell Happytime—KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KPO, KFI, KSL.
8-8.15 a.m.—Financial Service programme—KGO.
8.15-8.30 a.m.—Morning Melodies—KGO.
8.30-9 a.m.—Cross-cuts of the Day—KGO.
9-9.15 a.m.—Vermont Lumberjacks—KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KECA.
9.15-9.30 a.m.—Sax-Appeal—KGO.
9.30-10.30 a.m.—National Farm and Home Hour (transcontinental from Washington and Chicago)—KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KFI, KFSD; KGW, 9.45-10.30 a.m.; KPO, 10-10.30 a.m.
10.30-11.30 a.m.—Woman's Magazine of the Air—KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KPO, KFI; KFSD, KTAR, 10.50-11.10 a.m.
11.30-12.30 p.m.—Foreign Policy Association Luncheon (transcontinental) — KECA, KGO; KGW, 11.30-12.15 p.m.
12.30-1 p.m.—Hotel Sir Francis Drake Orchestra—KGO, KECA, KTAR.
1-1.15 p.m.—The Hollywaiians—KGO, KECA, KTAR.
1.15-2 p.m.—Pacific Feature Hour (transcontinental from San Francisco)—KGO, KECA, KTAR.

THIS EVENING

CFCT (475.9—630 Kcys.) Victoria, B.C.

6 p.m.—Presenting the nightly "Sunset Hour" of fine music.
7 p.m.—Canadian Pacific Hour of Music from Toronto.
8 p.m.—"Elias and Wong"—Negro-Chinese comedians.
8.15 p.m.—Concert by the band of the 5th B.C. Coast Brigade, C.A. Eileen Bennett, mezzo-soprano, will be the soloist.
11 p.m.—Charlie Hunt and his Victorians.

TO-MORROW MORNING

CFCT (475.9—630 Kcys.) Victoria, B.C.

8 a.m.—Good Morning programme.
8.15 a.m.—"Timely Topics"—Dr. Davies.
8.30 a.m.—Request programme until noon.

Broadcast Headliners

GRAND OPERA MINIATURES

Selections from Wagnerian operas, including the March from "Tannhauser" and the "Ride of the Valkyries," will comprise part of the Grand Opera Miniatures programme to be broadcast from 5 to 5.30 p.m. to-day, over KFRC, KRLD and KFPY. Adele Vass, soprano; Theo Karle, tenor; Lillian Bucknam, soprano, and Crane Calder, bass, will be accompanied by the Columbia Symphony Orchestra in presenting the programme.

The humor of Irvin S. Cobb and the voices of thirty singers are features of the Armour programme which will be released through the NBC nation-wide network this evening between 6.30 and 7 o'clock Pacific standard time. Cobb will be the guest speaker in the half-hour of entertainment, which originates in the Chicago studios of the National Broadcasting Company. An orchestra directed by Joseph Koestner will accompany the mixed chorus. The Armour programme is presented in the West through the following NBC stations: KGO, San Francisco and Oakland; KHQ, Spokane; KOMO, Seattle; KGW, Portland, and KFI, Los Angeles.

The Rounders, male quartette, will present a half-hour of popular songs in four-part arrangements when Tone Pictures is presented through the NBC network to-night, between 8.45 and 9.15 o'clock, P.S.T. Dudley Chambers leads the quartette, which is heard through stations KGO, San Francisco and Oakland; KHQ, Spokane; KOMO, Seattle; KGW, Portland and KFI, Los Angeles.

"Murder in Triplicate" is the ghastly title of the next episode of "Captain Post: Crime Suecialist," the Carlton E. Morse mystery serial, over the NBC network, to-night, from 10 to 10.30 o'clock, P.S.T. Three members of the Worth household have been murdered by a mysterious and psychological killer. As a result, Ernst Qoon, professor of psycho-physics, has been taken into custody by Captain Post. The last words of Fritz Zeigler, his young student assistant, who was mysteriously killed, seemed to have pinned the series of crimes to the scientist. Startling developments after he has been locked up prove conclusively that he has been wrongly accused, or else he has an assistant in the house, who is still working to eliminate the family.

Dick Le Grand will be heard again in the role of Captain Post. As such, he is before the microphone practically the entire time of the play. A cast of actors from the ranks of the National Players will be heard in supporting parts. NBC network stations offering this mystery serial are KGO, San Francisco and Oakland, KSL, Salt Lake City, and KOA Denver.

The nightly "Sunset Hour" will be featured from the "Canadian radio station farthest west" at 6 o'clock tonight, when the V.B.A. will offer an hour of classics over CFCT. At 7 o'clock the Canadian Pacific hour of music from Toronto will be released over the wave-length of Victoria's radio station. Immediately following, at 8 o'clock exactly, radio listeners will hear "Elias and Wong," the Negro-Chinese proprietors of the "Black and Tan Cafe." Their weekly adventures are enjoyed by many listeners. At 8.15 o'clock to-night, the band of the 5th B.C. Coast Brigade, C.A., under the baton of Bandmaster Charles Raine, will be heard in the weekly concert from the main studio of CFCT. Eileen Bennett, mezzo-soprano, will be the soloist. During the last hour, Charlie Hunt and his Victorians will be featured from the south ballroom of the Crystal Garden, offering sixty minutes of syncopation.

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Toronto, Jan. 2.—For the first time in twenty years Toronto has a new mayor who has never served in the cabinet of the city administration—the Board of Control. Alderman William J. Stewart was elected yesterday by a small majority over former Mayor Sam McBride, who was seeking his third term in the mayor's chair. The vote was: Stewart 57,500, McBride 57,119.

The mayoral election was the closest contest over a period of many years. Two of the Board of Control members failed of re-election, Claude Pearce and W. A. Summerville, while Controllers James Simpson and W. D. Robbins were re-elected for another term. The new members elected are George Ramsden and Albert E. Hacker, both of whom have had Board of Control experience.

The defeat of Pearce and Summerville in the Board of Control contest is attributable in great measure to their part in inaugurating the movement for salary increases which caused such a flare-up in civic politics during 1930 and was the subject of an investigation by Judge J. M. H. Denton.

Mr. McBride intimated to-day he might request a recount in view of the narrow majority in the mayoralty contest.

Mr. Stewart has been an alderman for seven years.

THREE HIT BY MOTOR VEHICLES LOSE LIVES

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—Richard A. Smaill, secretary-treasurer of the Greater Vancouver and District Joint Sewerage Board, and Stanley Twomouth, victims of automobile accidents in widely-separated parts of the city, Wednesday evening, succumbed to their injuries in hospitals yesterday.

Smaill was run down by a hit-and-run driver at the corner of Victoria Drive and Gravely Street.

Little Tommy Knipstrom, aged five, was killed Wednesday evening at the corner of Park Avenue and Kingsway when he dashed in front of a truck.

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Why Women Lose Their Husbands' Love

Dorothy Dix

Discusses Three Great Faults of Wives

"When a Woman Marries a Man Who Is In Love With Her and Loses That Love It Is Her Own Fault, and It Is Usually Because She Is Too Lazy or Too Stupid or Too Overconfident," Says Dorothy Dix

IT IS obvious that when the average man marries he is head over heels in love with the girl he leads to the altar. Otherwise he would not burden himself with her support and cramp his style by being bound down by domesticity.

It is equally obvious that when a woman marries she desires to retain her husband's affections because her whole well being, both physical and spiritual, depends upon her doing so. To lose her husband is a blow at once to her heart, her pride and her pocketbook. No suffering can come to a woman greater than loving a husband who has ceased to care for her. No humiliation can be more than knowing that she has not had the power to hold the man she has won.

For a wife to lose her husband is an open confession of her failure as a woman. Also, when a wife loses her husband's love she generally loses her home and her meal ticket. For the grudgingly given alimony of a divorcee seldom enables her to live in the style to which she has been accustomed.

It being true, then, that when men marry they are in love, and that it is the most important thing in the world to their wives to keep them in that state, why is it that so many men so soon fall out of love with their wives and so few women seem able to keep their husbands enamoured oft hem beyond the honeymoon?

Everywhere you go you see disillusioned husbands for whom their wives have ceased to have any vestige of charm and who are either chasing after other women or else have settled down to a grim, grouchy martyrdom of domestic boredom. And everywhere you go you see deserted wives beating upon their breasts and rending the air with their wails over their husbands having wearied of them and no longer showing them any affection.

Of course, when a wife loses her husband's love it is not always her fault. There are men who are born philanderers whom no one woman could keep enchanted, even if she practiced all of the arts of a supervamp upon them and was as beautiful as all the cinema stars rolled into one. Also there are men with dried up, withered hearts, emotional paupers, who exhaust their whole supply of sentiment during courtship and are thereafter bankrupts with no more to give.

But, generally speaking, when a woman marries a man who is in love with her and loses that love it is her own fault, and it is usually because she is too lazy or too stupid or too overconfident.

Most wives lose out through sheer laziness. They look upon marriage as a graft instead of a job. They refuse to recognize the fact that to make a comfortable home and keep a man feeling that it is worth while to support that home is a life sentence at hard labor. So they never even bother to learn how to cook. They don't trouble to have the house looking bright and cheerful and attractive when a tired man comes home of an evening. They don't make the effort to keep themselves looking pretty and tidy nor do they attempt to be interesting and amusing and entertaining companions.

So the poor man's dream of a home goes crashing down like a house of cards. He ceases to look at his wife, because she is no treat to the eyes, and he wanders away from his own fireside because it is uncomfortable and because there is nobody there to talk to him who has anything to say that is worth listening to.

Then htere are the stupid wives who lose out simply because they have not sense enough to play the game. A stupid woman can be married to a man for forty years without ever finding out anything more important about him than that he likes two lumps of sugar in his coffee and hates boiled mutton and bread puddings. She never finds out what subjects are taboo to him. Nor does she ever learn how to rub his fur the right way.

She is the kind of woman who, when her husband tries to tell her of his hopes and plans and ambitions, interrupts him in the very midst of his revelation of the thing that is nearest to his heart to tell him that she saw the cutest hat downtown and it was only $10.35 marked down from $20. And the result is that he turns to his secretary for understanding and sympathy.

She is the kind of woman who never sees that her husband is simply starving for flattery and that he wants to be told how handsome and young he looks and how clever he is and how well he dances. She calls his attention to his faults and shortcomings and she is heartbroken when she finds out that he has left her and gone to eat out of the hands of some woman who feeds him angel's food instead of administering bitter pills.

And there are the overconfident women, who lose out because they believe that the days of miracles have not yet passed and that there is some magic in the marriage ceremony that keeps a man loving his wife, no matte rhow sloppy and slovenly she is, nor how tiresome, nor hom she nags him.

She feels that marriage gives her a death clutch on her husband, and she never realizes that all that the wedding ceremony does is to give a wife the inside track on other women, but that if she wins out against them she has to do it by showing speed and class and technique.

For catching a man is easy, but keeping him requires industry and brains and staying powers.

DOROTHY DIX.

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Ella Cinders—

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Bringing Up Father—

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY SISTER MARY

Very often cheap cuts of meat require so much fuel to cook them that no real saving is effected; the money saved on the meat must be spent for gas.

Chopped meat cleverly handled may be cooked quite as quickly as the more expensive steaks and chops. Beef, veal lamb and pork can be chopped and used in many appetizing ways.

Chopped veal is made into small flat cakes, each cake bound by a strip of bacon to make veal patties. These can be braised over the fire or baked in a hot oven. Either method takes from 30 to 45 minutes to cook the meat.

Lamb or beef can be made into these same patties and cooked the same way, or broiled. Broiling requires even less time than the other methods.

Chopped meat can be combined with cracker or bread crumbs to make excellent meat loaves. Careful seasoning makes these loaves savory, and the crumbs act as a meat extender. Forty-five minutes to an hour will be needed to bake a loaf.

POTATOES NOT NEEDED

Chopped meat can be combined with a cereal to make nourishing dishes. Rice or macaroni can be used in a number of ways with chopped meat and vegetables or with chopped meat alone. Potatoes need not be included in the menu when a combination of this sort is served.

Tamale pie is an adaption of the popular "hot tamale" of the southwest. Beef, veal or pork can be used in place of the chicken usually found in the real tamale.

TAMALE PIE

One pound lean meat, 2½ cups meat stock, 1½ cups tomato puree, 1 onion, ¾ teaspoon chili powder, 1 cup canned pimentoes, 1 cup cornmeal, 2 teaspoons salt.

Put one tablespoon fat trimmed from meat in a frying pan and try out fat. Cut meat in two-inch squares and brown half of it in the fat. Put browned meat and uncooked meat in a kettle and add two and one-half cups boiling water. Simmer half an hour. Remove meat from stock and put through food chopper. Add enough boiling water to stock to make two and one-half cups. Put meat, stock, tomato puree, chopped onion and seasoning in a large kettle and bring to the boiling point. Stir in cornmeal which has been stirred to a smooth paste with cold water. Cook, stirring constantly for 20 minutes. Add pimentoes cut in shreds. Turn into a well-butter baking dish, cover with buttered paper and bake 30 minutes in a moderate oven. Serve from baking dish.

DAILY MENU

Breakfast—Canned pineapple, cereal cooked with figs, cream, crisp toast, milk, coffee.

Luncheon—Casserole of vegetables, tomato jelly salad, whole wheat rolls, molasses pudding, milk, tea.

Dinner—Tamale pie, cauliflower in easy Hollandaise sauce, endive with French dressing, apple snow, milk, coffee.

Many Intoxicated In New York As The Year Ended

New York, Jan. 2.—As an aftermath of New Year's Eve celebrations, approximately seventy-five men and women were treated for alcoholism in New York hospitals yesterday and to-day.

Only one death, and that indirectly due to intoxication, was reported.

Police declared the number of intoxicated persons on the streets Wednesday evening was unusually large, even for a New Year's eve.

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AT THE THEATRES

NEW ACTRESS HAS LEADING ROLE NOW AT THE DOMINION

A new leading woman of the screen is introduced in "Derelict," George Bancroft's sea-going romantic adventure, which will close to-night at the Dominion Theatre. She is Jessie Royce Landis, a Chicago girl, who has won considerable fame on the stage, on tour and on Broadway, with Otis Skinner, the Jessie Bonselle players in Detroit, Ben Ami and Richard Bennett.

Immediately after completing her motion picture engagements, she returned to New York to rejoin the cast of Richard Bennett's new production, "Solid South," with which she was connected during the tryouts in Chicago last spring. Miss Landis was placed under contract by Paramount, following an invitational screen test at the company's New York studio Her part opposite George Bancroft is her first screen experience.

FOREIGN LEGION IS FEATURED IN STORY COMING NEXT WEEK

Now the airplane is coming into service for finding motion picture locations. Before commencing to film "Renegades" for Fox Movietone, Director Victor Fleming traveled several thousand miles by plane and auto, seeking the correct backgrounds for this exciting story of the French Foreign Legion. The picture comes to the Playhouse Theatre next week, with Warner Baxter, Myrna Loy and Noah Beery in the feature roles.

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Capitol—"The Lottery Bride," with Jeanette MacDonald.
Coliseum—Ned Sparks in the "Leatherneck."
Columbia—"Sons of the Saddle, starring Ken Maynard.
Dominion—George Bancroft in "Derelict."
Playhouse—"The Last of the Lone Wolf," starring Bert Lytell.
Crystal Garden—Swimming, Dancing and Miniature Golf.

EXCELLENT CAST IN FEATURE HERE UNTIL SATURDAY

Arthur Hammerstein has done it! The New York impresario, in his first screen venture, "Lottery Bride," which opened yesterday at the Capitol Theatre, has surpassed any and all of his magnificent stage successes in this United Artists production presented by Joseph M. Schenck.

Any doubt that the screen has grown up with the development of sound can be dispelled by attending this dramatic operetta, unquestionably the most complete union of music and drama so far to come from Hollywood.

I has exquisite songs and melodies by Rudolf Friml, foremost living composer of light opera, who gave the stage such memorable scores as were contained in "Rose Maria," "Firefly," "Katinka," and "High Jinks."

Jeannette MacDonald, the leading lady, proves her right to the title of prima donna of pictures. She is not only a songstress of exceptional charm but an actress of great ability. The cast in general is of stellar quality. John Garrick, the young English actor, plays opposite Miss MacDonald and steps into the front ranks of popularity. Honors by Joseph Macaulay and Robert Chisholm, both well known on the New York stage. A comedy trio consisting of Joe E. Brown, Zazu Pitts and Harry Gribbon leaves nothing to be desired in the way of laughs, and excellent characterizations are given by the youthful Carroll Nye and the veteran, Max Davidson.

KEN MAYNARD PLAYS LEADING ROLE HERE AT THE COLUMBIA

To Tarzan, the almost human horse and faithful companion of Ken Maynard, goes more than ordinary credit for one of the thrilling scenes of the story in "Sons of the Saddle" at the Columbia Theatre to-day. A command from his master sends him thundering through a line of outlaws to carry a message for help. The strong cast playing with Maynard is composed of Doris Hill, Joe Girard, Carol Nye, Francis Ford and Harry Todd.

"LEATHERNECKING" IS TITLE OF PICTURE ON COLISEUM SCREEN

Ned Sparks, featured comedian in Radio Pictures' "Leatherneck," now showing at the Coliseum, has participated in two gold rushes.

The first was in the Klondyke when he was a glamorous youth. This rush proved to be a flop for Ned.

The second was in Talkieland, and it was successful. Ned has a chauffeur who sits out in the rain, and can say "Home, James" with all the savoir faire of Lew Cody.

Teaming with Sparks in "Leatherneck" is Benny Rubin, while the feminine foil for his humorous thrusts is Louise Fazenda.

PATSY RUTH MILLER SHOWS MANY LOVELY GOWNS AT PLAYHOUSE

"Last of the Lone Wolf" offers unparalleled opportunities to Patsy Ruth Miller for the wearing of gorgeous gowns. The setting of the Columbia feature now at the Playhouse Theatre, a royal court.

This effective orchid evening gown is made of gorgette. The sensuous form-fitting silhouette is given dignity by the flounces that accentuate the poise of the costume. Braided shoulder straps of the same material are clasped to the dress by studded buckles. Patsy Ruth Miller has chosen a pearl motif—necklace, ring and earrings. A diamond bracelet lends brilliance and tone to the ensemble.

Norma Talmadge's face never showed in her first picture. She made her debut with the old Vitagraph Company in 1912 and played a camera fiend who went through the entire picture with her head shrouded and bent over a camera.

CALLS ON NEW ZEALAND TO LIFT EMBARGO ON CATTLE FROM BRITAIN

Capt. J. C. Dun-Waters, Laird of Fintry, Anticipates Time When Southern Dominion Will be Exporting Pedigree Ayrshire Stock to British Columbia; Goal Is to Get a Square Deal for Scotland.

Claiming that the New Zealand farmer would do well to lift the embargo on cattle from the United Kingdom in order to build up his herds to greater productivity from the good Scottish stock of Ayrshire cattle, of which he is a doughty champion, Capt. J. C. Dun-Waters, Laird of Fintry, B.C., returned here yesterday by the motor liner Aorangi from New Zealand.

The Laird of Fintry, who some time ago relinquished the controlling interest in the "Glasgow Herald," is a versatile Scotchman with the cause of Scotland at heart, and his enthusiasm for Ayrshires, of which he is a renowned breeder, does not confine itself to his own ranch at Fintry, near Kamloops, but spreads itself over the entire community and to all those with whom he comes in contact.

His chief goal is to get a "square deal" for Scotland and Scottish cattle.

It was Capt. Dun-Waters who induced the British Columbia Government to accept the offer of the Empire Marketing Board to defray jointly the total cost of transportation for all selected pedigree cattle of B.C.

CHARACTERISTICS OF PEOPLE

"New Zealand, climatically and agriculturally, is a wonderful country," said Capt. Dun-Waters on his arrival here. "There is an atmosphere responsible for her wonderful growth, not the least of which is the simplicity, honesty and loyalty of her people. A cursory view of New Zealand would tend to lead an observer to think that the farming interests were not in one, but in two baskets, but all the same we know that she has beef districts of great merit. Sheep farming and dairying predominate. I was pleased to see Scottish national dairy cattle represented at the recent Christchurch show.

"I much prefer them to any other dairy breed and I like to see Scotchmen retain their characteristics and customs and build on the foundations surely laid by their astute old forefathers, not following after new-fangled foreign cattle.

"If Scotchmen within the Empire do not unite with the men of other races in the attempt to improve foreign cattle to the eclipse of Ayrshire stock, then I predict that in many of the more rigorous climates, the Ayrshires will hold their own commercially with all other dairy breeds," he declared.

"That is one reason, and if you look for another, you will find Scotland needs the encouragement and help of her sons in the Dominions. She has been bled white of her manhood by the war, and financially she is being drained to pay for that disaster. Her markets are being flooded by foreign agricultural products and her lords, lairds and laborers are uniting with the leaders of the three parties to-day to devise some scheme by which her farmers may not be driven off the land and on to the dole. The leader of the movement is Lord Lovatt."

B.C. STOCK BASE

"The Scottish farmer has only one export and that is his pedigree stock."

In British Columbia, he had first of all, with the help of a few breeders in Scotland, given that university a representative sample of their wonderful cattle, and whenever he could afford it, he imported a number of pedigreetested Ayrshires to this province and sold them by auction to the farmers of B.C. at prices they could afford to pay," said Capt. Dun-Waters. He also was encouraging the government of B.C. to set apart one of its publicly-owned dairies for the production of a good Ayrshire herd, in order that their activities might be allied to his individual effort in creating a base from which to stock the 200,000,000 acres of land of the interior and the rigorous districts leading from northern B.C. up to the 8,000,000 acres in the Peace River block.

One of the most beneficial acts on the part of the British Columbia Government, he said, evinced itself when the government accepted the offer of the Empire Marketing Board to defray the full cost of pedigreed stock to this province.

The B.C. farmer had nothing to pay, except quarantine expenses on the arrival of the cattle. It meant that the farmer of this province had a choice in a market of wide selection. The animals were brought to his farm free of cost, and consequently he was encouraged to build up his dairy strains.

"New Zealand is the only Dominion that is standing out," stated Capt. Dun-Waters. "It is not for me to criticize; that is a prerogative of their own farmers."

He understood that it was because of the fear of foot and mouth disease that the embargo was placed on cattle imported from the United Kingdom to the southern Dominion, yet New Zealand was exposed to less risk than other countries, being further away.

They were also safeguarded by all the care exercised when the animals were shipped, as well as by the long transport and quarantine, which should be adequate to reveal any disease before the stock was released in the New Zealand farms.

Importations of Ayrshires from Scotland would, in the laird's opinion, smooth out some of the New Zealand cheese problems, because the abundant four per cent. milk of the Ayrshire had proved itself the most suitable of all milks for this purpose, evidence of which is seen in the famous Dunlop and other cheeses in Scotland.

These cattle would be of benefit to the working farmer who is looking for longevity, production and constitution in his cattle, and who covets an all-round cow that can give him an abundance of milk, as well as butter and cheese, without his dairy herd calling for a "wardrobe of overcoats and umbrellas, and he in consequence being obliged to forego such luxuries."

"Some day I trust that New Zealand will have Ayrshires to export to British Columbia," said Capt. Dun-Waters, "and I hope B.C. will fill up with Scotch stock."

Travelling with Capt. Dun-Waters was Dr. J. S. Burris of Kamloops.

They visited only New Zealand.

Vancouver Asks Victoria Girls Stay At Home

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—Charges by several aldermen that forty employees of the B.C. Telephone Co. who had been thrown out of work by installation of automatic telephones in Victoria had been brought to Vancouver and given employment in this city were made at Wednesday's meeting of the City Council.

The matter was introduced by Alderman John Bennett, who asked for information on this matter, which, he said, had reached him as a rumor.

"It's absolutely true," said Alderman W. C. Atherton, "but how are we going to stop it? The telephone company, when it put in the automatics in Victoria, said no employees would be laid off on that account. The girls are being given work here."

The council finally decided to write the company asking it to desist from bringing outside girls into Vancouver to work.

YOUNG MEMBERS URGED TO TAKE UP LEADERSHIP

Importance of Guiding Groups Stressed at Final Session of Boys' Parliament

Several Resolutions Passed Before Hon. S. L. Howe Prorogued House Wednesday

Leadership objectives and the importance of the religious side of the Tuxis work were stressed at the closing session of the Boys' Parliament Wednesday evening when the young members gathered for the last time in the Parliament Buildings for the eighth annual meeting.

Following the discussions and the hearing of resolutions, Hon. S. L. Howe, Provincial Secretary and acting "Lieutenant-Governor" for the session, prorogued the House with due formality and sent the members back to their constituencies to carry on the programmes they had drawn up during their sittings here.

During the last session the boys heard many views on the subject of leadership and had the importance of developing leaders, to care for the various groups throughout the province, firmly imprinted in their minds.

DEVOTIONAL AFFAIRS

Lengthy reports were brought in by the committee in charge of devotional affairs, which stressed the need for more evangelical work in the different constituencies. Bible tests should be carried on regularly to assist in this objective, it was claimed.

Considerable interest was taken in the part of mothers in the welfare of various communities. The members were urged to co-operate with them in every way and to recognize their value to a greater extent.

RESOLUTIONS

Several resolutions were brought in during the afternoon sitting.

It was recommended that in the athletic events the addition of a half-mile event as an option to the 100-yard race would be an advantage. The National Work Board was recommended to make such provision. It was pointed out that this would be fairer in view of the fact that there were good long distance runners, who could not make fast sprinters.

The place of health badges in the groups was recommended to be pressed upon the programmes.

The necessity for devotional leadership was brought forward and it was urged that members take advantage of all the facilities offered for this.

It was resolved that the members of Parliament spend the week-end, if possible, at the Elphinstone Tuxis Camp, where conferences could be held.

CAMPS AND ATHLETICS

The reports covering the camps and the athletic sports under the organization showed a decided increase last year. There were four camps held during the year with an attendance of 318, as compared with about 240 the year before.

There were seven athletic meets as compared with four the year before. At these meets forty-six groups were represented as compared with thirty-five the year before. There were 500 taking part in the events, while only 332 took part the previous year. In the matter of awards there were 1,159, as compared with 800 the year previous.

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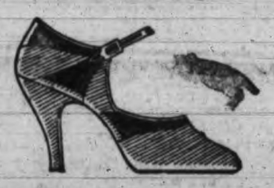

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